



TUESDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 5, 1907.

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PRESIDENT PROPOSES DUAL PROPOSITIONS.

In Japanese Controversy He Will Carry Them to Supreme Court.

Right to Supervise Schools Sufficient to Guarantee Treaty Rights and That Japanese Are Not Mongols Are Contentions—Pacific Fleet Is Assembled in One Body—Mikado's Men in Hawaii Wear Uniforms.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] President Roosevelt has framed up two propositions relating to the exclusion of Japanese children from the public schools of San Francisco on which he intends to have the United States Supreme Court pass. He has his contentions outlined in the suit already brought, under instructions from the Department of Justice, in San Francisco and will carry them through all the intervening tribunals to the court of last resort. The propositions are these:

1. That the Federal government has a right to exercise such supervision over the public schools of a State as is necessary to carry out treaty stipulations because the government donated lands for the maintenance of such schools.

2. That the Japanese are not Mongols and cannot be excluded from the public schools on the same basis as Chinese and other Orientals. The legal experts of the government have carefully studied both these propositions and believe there is sufficient foundation for testing them in the courts. It is claimed that by donating lands to the public domain for the establishment of schools the Federal authorities retain some degree of control over these institutions. If the land were sold and the equivalent covered into the general treasury the right of limited supervision would be eliminated.

The assertion is made that the donor always retains to some extent control over his gift and this same rule applies to the government.

Many of the lower courts have repeatedly held that the Japanese are not Mongols. The President is determined that the Supreme Court shall pass upon this specific proposition.

According to the theory on which the Department of Justice is proceeding, the San Francisco Board of Education classified the Japanese as Mongols. The authorities here believe that this classification will not be sustained by the highest court.

DIPLOMAT DEPLORES WAR. SAYS EVENT IS UNTHINKABLE.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)

TOKIO, Feb. 4.—Baron Kaneko, formerly special envoy to the United States in another statement made here,

CIVIL WAR VETERANS ARE ALL PENSIONED.

House Passes Senate Bill Without Amendment—President is Sure to Sign—Rate is \$12 at Sixty-two to \$20 at Seventy-five Years.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Every old soldier who wore the blue during the Civil War will get a pension. This was guaranteed today when the House passed without amendment the Service Pension Bill passed by the Senate January 11. For years the proposition to pension all old soldiers, regardless of disability, has been pending before Congress. The Grand Army has exerted every effort in its power to bring about such legislation and only today was it accomplished. Those soldiers who are now receiving pensions less than the amount named in the bill just enacted will be raised accordingly. Those who are receiving more will not be affected.

Following is a schedule of the bill: At 62 years, \$12 a month; 70 years, \$15; 75 years or over, \$20. These pensions shall commence from date of filing of application with Pension Bureau and terms apply to any person who has served ninety days or more in the Civil War or in the war with Mexico.

All that is necessary is to establish age and produce an honorable discharge. There were but twenty votes against the bill, all of them Democrats and among them John Sharp Williams, Democratic floor leader of the House. That it will promptly be signed by the President there is not the slightest doubt. It is not a new policy that is being entered upon by Congress in enactment of this service pension law. Survivors of every previous war have been treated in the same manner by this government.

It is now forty-two years since the close of the Civil War and Congress has reached the conclusion that the

MIKADO'S MEN DON UNIFORM.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)

HONOLULU, Feb. 4.—Six hundred Japanese immigrants arrived today on the steamer Siberia. A number of them wore the full uniform of the soldier of Japan, and two captains in addition to being clothed in the uniform of their rank, wore their war medals.

reunited the navy. The King of Spain is to visit the United States in May. His Majesty will leave Bangkok in March for Japan, and will proceed from Yokohama to Honolulu.

IMMIGRATION IS NUB OF FIGHT.

SHORT SESSION OF CONGRESS CAUSES ANXIETY.

San Francisco is Willing to Accept Compromise, but Attitude of Japan Gives Grave Concern to Authorities in Charge of Negotiations on School Exclusion.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

WASHINGTON (D. C.) Feb. 4.—The question whether pending questions between the United States and Japan can be settled by a treaty and legislation during the brief time remaining of this session of Congress was widely discussed at the Capitol today. It is admitted on all sides that if Congress adjourns with the Japanese question unsettled, there may be ugly developments as the result of Japanese immigration to Hawaii and the Pacific Coast.

The announcement from San Francisco that the school authorities were going to have difficulty in excluding the Japanese from the public schools, if it could be shown that a treaty could be ratified excluding Japanese laborers, does not appear to have changed the situation. The California delegation has been certain from the first that this San Francisco authorities would concede. Their real anxiety is over the attitude of Japan, and not as to the attitude of San Francisco.

Options are divided among legislators as to probability of a treaty and satisfactory adjustment of pending questions. One of the most influential members of the California delegation, Mr. McMillan, is of the opinion that a treaty had not gone so far as to assure that a treaty had been negotiated. He invariably qualified his remarks by saying that the Japanese were conservative, and that the "head" of a treaty could be arranged.

ASSEMBLES ALL PACIFIC FLEET.

SECRETARY OF NAVY PLANS IMPORTANT PROGRAMME.

All Squadrons Sailing Between Ships and Orient Are Combined in One, and It Is Expected Eight Battleships Will Soon Fly American Flag in Western Ocean.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)

CHICAGO, Feb. 4.—A dispatch to the Tribune from Washington says: Secretary Metcalf will issue this week a most important order designed to increase the efficiency of the Pacific American Navy. He will consolidate the squadrons now on the Pacific Coast and in Asiatic waters into one fleet under the supreme command of Rear-Admiral Willard H. Brown. This fleet will consist of a comprehensive group of vessels, the object of which will be the protection of the Pacific Slope and other Pacific dependencies in case of war.

It is stated authoritatively there is no connection whatever between the reorganization of the navy in the Pacific Ocean and the controversy with Japan over the San Francisco school question and the exclusion of the Japanese laborers from the public schools. The fleet will consist of a comprehensive group of vessels, the object of which will be the protection of the Pacific Slope and other Pacific dependencies in case of war.

United States squadrons would not be a match for any of the great powers having possessions in the Pacific, but they at least would prove a force which would have to be looked after by one even more formidable, and thus constitute a serious obstacle in the execution of any plan of campaign which might be determined upon.

Secretary Metcalf and the General Board of the Navy, however, to permit the American fleet in the Pacific to be weaker than a possible enemy, and there is reason to believe that because of the war, the fleet will be strengthened. The fleet will consist of a comprehensive group of vessels, the object of which will be the protection of the Pacific Slope and other Pacific dependencies in case of war.

TWO BATTERIES FOR MANILA. (BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 4.—Two batteries of field artillery will sail tomorrow for Manila. The transport Lagan for Manila, the Twenty-fourth, Captain E. M. and the Twenty-third with 120 Twenty-five casals are also booked. The Lagan will also carry Major E. E. Gayle and daughter, Major R. S. Woodson of the medical department and Major Guy Carleton of the Fourth Cavalry.

FOUR DIE IN STORM.

Ranchers Perish in Aiding Stock.

Deep Snow Lies on Sheet of Ice Keeping Cattle from Getting Food.

Damaging Storm Rages Over Oregon Killing Sheep and Cattle.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

APRIL CITY (S. D.) Feb. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A blizzard is now sweeping the Cheyenne River range. Cattle by hundreds and thousands of sheep are lost, while three ranchers perished today in an effort to save their freezing stock.

The dead are: HAROLD O. BULLOCK of Parallel ranch.

MEYER of Stucke ranch, aged 24.

CHARLES MEYER, father of young Meyer, also of Stucke ranch.

CARL JENKE, another herder, with the Jay outfit, has been missing four days. It is thought he has perished. The range is now fields of ice covered with snow, denying a living to a herd of goats. Wet snow fell several weeks ago, melted, from covering prairies and taking all cured grass down with it. This is now covered with snow ranging from one foot at Bonanza to forty fathoms on Upper Cheyenne River.

Unless the sun melts some of the snow or lifting snow blows by winds lifts, giving the stock an opportunity to find their way back to haystacks and shelter in ravines, losses to stockmen in the White and Cheyenne River countries will reach \$1,000,000.

In the blizzard today many herds have lost the way to stables and stacks, while the snow driving under their hair freezes and the animals are covered with ice and overcome.

Mercury, 22 to 28 degrees below zero.

Six and eight-horse teams are leaving the ranches with loads of forage for the starving and freezing cattle and in these desperate struggles the ranchmen lose their lives.

The area now covered with snow is larger and the depths greater than any corresponding periods last year, and the blizzard rages over Meade, Ziebach, Jackson and Pratt counties, but does not extend far west of the Black Hills country.

CATTLE DIE IN OREGON STORM.

STATE IS CRUSTED WITH ICE ON WHICH SLEET FREEZES.

Portland Passes Most Disagreeable Day in Years, With Wires Down and All Fearing Recurrence of Dangerous "Silver Thaw"—Snowslides Follow One After Other.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A general storm all over the State that approaches a blizzard is causing great suffering to stock in all parts of Oregon. Snow has fallen heavily today throughout the State and the cold continues with no sign of moderation. Cattlemen in the interior are estimating heavy losses. Cattle and sheep are being frozen by the thousands and are a scarcity of feed is reported from Eastern Oregon, further losses may be even more severe.

The snow that is now falling is covering ice which had already formed a crust over the grass so that stock are unable to break and reach the feed.

Portland has just passed through what has been the most disagreeable day for the past ten years. Sleet, mixed with snow, fell all day, freezing as it struck. The wires and trees throughout the city are again encrusted and electric companies fear a recurrence of last week's "silver thaw."

The Oregon Railway and Navigation Company is tied up with snow drifts in the Columbia Gorge and there have been no trains for over twenty-four hours. As soon as one snow slide is dug away another comes down from the hills. The Columbia at The Dalles is badly frozen and a steamer which tried to force its way up the river is held in the pack.

THREE BIG BRIDGES FALL. (BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)

NORTH OF STATE FEELS STORM. (BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)

UKIAH, Feb. 4.—The present storm (Continued on Seventh Page.)

COAL CHAIRMAN RESIGNS.

Leaves Leadership of One Hundred Million Syndicate After Long-Drawn Fight.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Francis L. Robbins, for years the central figure among the bituminous coal operators of the United States, will on next Monday tender his resignation as chairman of the Pittsburgh Coal Company, the \$100,000,000 bituminous coal trust.

He will in all probability be succeeded by former State Senator William Flinn, the dethroned political boss of Pittsburgh.

Reports have reached such a stage that several sensations are predicted in connection with the affair. The passing of Robbins from the Pittsburgh Coal Company will come as the closing chapter of a hard-fought battle which has long been waging in the inner circles of the great coal corporation.

NOW HE KNOWS WHAT FLAG IS.

MANASCOVITZ MAY LEARN TO RESPECT IT.

Chelsea Junk Man Uses It to Wrap a Rope for Protection, and Judge Makes Him Pay Fine of \$10—Said He Didn't Know What Old Glory Represents.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

BOSTON, Feb. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Joseph Manasovitz, of No. 189½ Second street, Chelsea, who was arrested on a warrant by the Chelsea police a few nights ago, the specific charges against him being publicly treating contemptuously the flag of the United States, was found guilty by Special Justice Samuel L. Cutler at this morning's session of the Chelsea Police Court. A fine of \$10 was imposed, which he paid.

It was shown that Manasovitz on Monday last secured a load of scrap iron, "junk" and rags in Revere, which he tied with a rope so that it would not fall to the street.

Portions of the scrap iron, he feared, would wear away his rope, and this he did not desire, so he took a United States flag and tied it around the rope as a means of protection.

In his defense, Manasovitz stated that he had been in the country four years and did not know what the United States flag was. He admitted that he had seen something flying from poles and staves, but did not know what it was or what it represented.

INITIATE 'EM WITH AN ACID.

HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS BADLY BURNED AT INDIANAPOLIS.

Members of Alpha Gamma Tau Society Mark Three New Pupils for Life—Doctors Are Summoned as Result of Frank by Female "Prat" Jesters.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

INDIANAPOLIS (Ind.) Feb. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Miss Hazel Reimer, Miss Bertha Hoffman and Miss Lillian Kern, High School students, were initiated in the Alpha Gamma Tau society here a few nights ago, and through the attendance of physicians upon them the circumstances of their initiation came out today.

The young ladies extended their hands, and then the girls made a ring around their wrists with a brush dipped in acid. The acid was much stronger than they supposed, and burned deeply into the flesh, causing great pain and marking Miss Reimer and Miss Kern for life.

The girls suffered so much from the burns and from the idea of being wanted for life, in that way, that the physicians were called.

WILL RUN FOR SENATE.

Man Who Outdid New York Bankers in Buying up Philippine Bonds Now Wants the Top.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

GUTHRIE (Okla.) Feb. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] M. L. Turner of Oklahoma City, the man who got ahead of the New York bankers in buying up \$2,000,000 worth of Philippine bonds in 1905, has announced himself a candidate for the United States Senate from Oklahoma. Turner is at the head of the Western National Bank of Oklahoma City, and from 1894 to 1898 served as Territorial Treasurer under Gov. Rentrow.

Turner is a Missouri product. He was born in Green county in 1855, and reared on his father's farm. In 1875 he went into the wheat-buying business, and later established a bank at Springfield, Kan., later spending a few years in Colorado and Washington buying State school warrants. He removed to Oklahoma in 1891.

CITY OWNERSHIP FAILS.

VIENNA, Feb. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Vienna's municipally-owned brewery appears to be a dismal failure. The erection and equipment of the establishment cost more than \$1,000,000. There has been a small deficit every year, and the proposition now made to invest further sums in machinery meets with vigorous opposition in the council.

HOPE FOR CONCESSIONS.

BAKERSFIELD, Feb. 4.—It is reported in local telegraph circles that the Southern Pacific Company before Thursday will make some concessions to the demands of the order of railroad telegraphers. If not, on that day the telegraphers will take a vote to determine their future action, and the railroad company will be given thirty days in which to make its answer.

GOOD MARK FOR TOGO.

Vulnerability of the Pacific Coast.

Prominent Army Officer at San Diego Calls Attention to Weakness.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] With only one-ninth of the men necessary, or one of the three reliefs for the operation of the guns of the coast artillery, in case of war, and the same relative shortage in the other equipment of the service, a prominent army officer now officially visiting San Diego, who has taken the trouble to carefully investigate the Pacific Coast defenses, states that the United States would be in an easy mark for Japan should she choose to declare war and make the Pacific Coast the commencement of the scene of operations.

"With only two fortified points and a mere handful of troops this vast stretch of coast is certainly in condition to make no other than a weak defense in any event," said the officer, in an interview for publication today, "and especially if the fighting should be begun at short notice. We should have to rely mainly on our warships, of which there are, as you know, only a few stationed in these waters at present."

NEED OF MEN AS GREAT AS CALL FOR CANNON, SAYS ONE WHO KNOWS.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

"You ask as to the most vulnerable coast point on the lower end of this State. I should say that all points were vulnerable from the fact that none of them are protected by land forces. You see we haven't a gun on the coast between San Francisco and San Diego. Recommendations have been made for fortifications at San Pedro and Monterey but the completion of the undertakings is a matter of the indefinite future. At Monterey we have seven troops of cavalry, and the Twenty-third Infantry, something like 1200 men. At San Diego we have two companies of artillery, at present forty-nine men short, and no infantry in reserve.

To be sure San Diego is fortified by a fort, ten miles from the city, being on the east side of the Point Loma peninsula, but I am not so sure but Togo's ships could wreck the city by firing shells while stationed on the west side of the promontory, out of range of the fort's guns, the range being across False Bay and Old Town, a distance of three or four miles.

And unless we could get our infantry and other land equipment, here in time the Japs might land men on the north side of Point Loma, scale the heights and capture the fort, thus giving them the key to the city's landlocked harbor. In my opinion this is one of the gravest dangers, so far as San Diego is concerned.

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WITHDRAWALS COALLANDS.

President Waits Authority to Lease Them.

Senators Advise Consideration During Recess.

Experts and Statesmen Assemble at White House.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.) WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A conference in the White House tonight to pass upon withdrawing from entry all coal and oil lands in the public domain and providing for their leasing on long terms to persons who would operate them, resulted in approval of the President's plan.

By executive order President Roosevelt has already withdrawn all these lands from entry. He has an authority under existing statutes to lease these lands, but he will withhold them from entry until Congress acts one way or the other.

At the suggestion of Senator Hanson of North Dakota, chairman of the Public Land Committee of the Senate, the President invited to the White House, Messrs. Hanson, Nelson of Minnesota, Carter of Montana, and Nevada of Nevada, comprising a subcommittee on this subject; James R. Garfield, who will soon become Secretary of the Interior; Director Walcott and Prof. Holmes of the Geological Survey, and Clifford Pinchot, former of the Department of Agriculture.

The officials were in complete accord with the President's view. The Senators were not entirely in accord. It was suggested—and the suggestion will probably result in a bill to be reported by the Senate Committee on Public Lands—that an effort be made to pass a measure, providing either for entry of all public lands for agricultural purposes or for (long-term) leasing of coal lands between the adjournment of the present session of Congress and the next session, when there will be time for more thorough consideration of the question.

WALKER LIES CASE.

CHOCTAW REALTY SALES. (BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.) WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—The Supreme Court of the United States today decided the case of Walker against the Choctaw Coal and Railway Company, involving the law of the Choctaw nation regarding non-citizen residents to sell their property to citizens, against Walker.

The opinion was by Justice Peckham, and affirmed the decision of the Circuit Court of Appeals for the eighth circuit, which was favorable to the railroad company.

The case is the culmination of a long fight on the part of the white men as to the right to own property and make improvements within Choctaw territory. It involved also the right of railway companies to acquire an interest in townships.

The property is disputed in this case consisted of improvements on real estate in the town of South McAlester, valued at about \$60,000.

The law requires the Sheriff to sell the property of non-citizens if they do not themselves make the sale, and in this instance the Sheriff disposed of \$60,000 worth of his property to his own son for \$100, taking a cash payment of \$100 and a note for the remainder. The law requires that all such sales shall be for cash, and the courts below declared the transfer invalid.

FIFTY-NINTH CONGRESS.

CLOSING SESSION. (BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.) WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—SENATE.—The Senate occupied the first two hours of its session today in the closing of the House bill permitting the government to take an appeal on points of law in certain criminal cases. The bill is intended to reach cases similar to that against the meat packers. It was laid aside to permit further discussion of Senator Carter's resolution aimed at the recent order of the Secretary of the Interior, preventing the issuance of land patents to entrymen until after an examination on the ground by a special agent.

Hayburn concluded the discussion he began several days ago, and Senator Newlands followed in defense of the Secretary.

Bacon made a brief statement intended to show that Senator Beveridge had been in error regarding the operation of the Child Labor Law in Georgia. Beveridge had said there are 8000 applications for child labor in Fulton county, Georgia, under the new State law, and that all of them had been granted. Bacon said he had ascertained that but ten applications had been granted.

HOUSE.—The House passed a number of important bills today, including the McCumber Service Pension Bill, the Omnibus Lighthouse Bill, and the Omnibus Revenue Cutter Bill.

The Omnibus Lighthouse Bill carries a total appropriation of \$1,500,000 for the lighthouse establishment and an additional sum of \$100,000 for additional lightkeepers.

The House, by a vote of 10 to 85, concurred in the Senate amendments to the Urgent Deficiency Bill, lending the Jamestown Exposition \$1,000,000, and authorizing the loan by a lien on the gross receipts.

Resolutions were passed calling for an investigation by the Secretary of Commerce and Labor of cotton export changes and the fluctuations in cotton prices, giving a privileged status to the bill codifying and consolidating the patent and copyright laws, directing a report by the Secretary of the Interior of the number of the existing patents granted to officers and employees of the United States.

Bills providing for the protection of game in Alaska and authorizing a refund of certain taxes collected under the revenue act of 1898, also were passed.

WASHINGTON BRIEFS.

Government to Intervene. (BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.) WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—The Supreme Court of the United States today granted a motion made by Attorney General Bonaparte permitting the government to intervene in the case of the Illinois Central Railroad Company. The case involves the constitutionality of the railroad employees' liability act, passed at the last session of Congress.

To Purchase Tulare Lands. WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Representative Smith has made arrangement with Speaker Cannon to be recognized to call up his bill providing for the purchase of 2000 acres in Tulare county, comprising all the land not owned by the government in Sequoia and Gen. Grant National parks. Small private holdings are said to be a nuisance there, and the Interior Department favors the purchase of the same.

GOOD MARK FOR TOGO.

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or San Pedro, I should say that shelling would likely be resorted to at those points, even though they be so-called defenseless places. In my opinion there is not anything in the law of nations or in the declarations of the Geneva conference to prevent attacks being made on unprotected points. These are ways to get around such things and the advice I would very likely do it. For instance, the attacking party is not supposed to know whether the objective point of attack is protected; it has the right to assume that it is protected and a trial of strength is the only way to decide which shall control. So that the dropping of a few shells into San Pedro, Long Beach, Redondo or other points on the Los Angeles county coast would be among the possibilities. It might be considered necessary as a preliminary step in a campaign for the taking of Los Angeles, for the use of the enemy as a base of supplies.

CAPACITY OF TOGO'S GUNS. Now as to the carrying capacity of Togo's guns. It is not as great as supposed. On land his 124-inch guns will carry 12,000 yards. On board ship, on account of the recoil and the danger of straining the vessel, the maximum carrying capacity of a 900 pound shell, the weight of Togo's from a 124-inch gun, would be 8,500 yards, or four and one-half miles.

"So it is not to be feared that any vessel in the Japanese navy can drop shells on the edge of Los Angeles, while stationed fifteen miles away. They might blow Long Beach into smithereens, and possibly San Diego, by the way of Port Rosarum, but Los Angeles would be absolutely safe, so far as shells are concerned."

"As to how far the vessels would stand from the shore should war be declared, and shelling commenced, would depend on the size of the guns they might wish to use. The distance of the objective point of attack would be a matter of course, and would be on board ship. In a general way, I should say the vessels would take a stand from 800 to 1000 yards away. As most of the execution is done by the explosion of the shells the important thing is to land them where they will do the greatest damage. The distance of the firing line would also be governed by the nature of our defenses. For instance, if they were trying to capture the coast, they would be within 1000 yards of our 12-inch mortars, carrying a weight of 1000 pounds, and capable of immense work of destruction at 12,000 yards. These are dangerous things to trifle with. With our Fort Rosarum, which we could stand them off with our 10-inch guns, each of which can be fired once every forty-five seconds."

"In approaching fortified points the enemy's ships would, of course, have to cross the torpedo mines, which is a part of our equipment of all coast forts, and which are a tower of strength in defensive work. The mines are kept in place and are to be placed in position at short notice. The arrangement is such that one or all of part of the torpedoes can be exploded by the simple pressure of buttons."

MEN NEEDED. "I have been interested in the campaign of The Times for more adequate Pacific Coast defenses. It is one of the greatest needs of the country. The Pacific harbor is very well protected in the matter of guns, but outside of that we have next to nothing. As I have said, we haven't men enough to man the guns we possess for only one of the three reliefs which would be necessary in case of war. Here in San Diego we have two companies in the artillery service, but the total strength is 100 men, or a shortage of 18. To fill companies would not be sufficient to properly man the guns at this fort. In fact, only two of the 10-inch guns are used for practice, although they are kept in working order. The second company of artillery is poorly paid, and it is hard getting them for this important branch of the service. The present complement of 10,000 men for the Coast artillery of the nation is totally inadequate, although the 5000 additional men about to be provided will help a little."

"We need also on the Coast more troops. We have absolutely no reserves. In case of war, we would need more troops. Here in San Diego we have two small companies of artillery with no infantry. At the Presidio, Monterey, we have seven troops of cavalry and the Twentieth Infantry; the San Francisco regiment of infantry, at Walla Walla, on the Puget Sound, Department of Columbia, and the 2nd Cavalry, at Vancouver, now in Cuba; at Vancouver barracks, a regiment of infantry; at Fort Lawton, Washington, a regiment of infantry, and at Boise City, Idaho, two troops of cavalry."

"The second company should have to draw on the National Guard and the Naval Reserves, and even then we wouldn't have enough men to make a respectable show."

SUPREME COURT DECISION. Under recent ruling Allen is Not Permitted to Even Carry Bogus Citizen Papers.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.) SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 4.—The February session of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit opened here today, and sixteen decisions were rendered, of which thirteen affirmed the decisions of the lower courts.

One of the most interesting decisions is that handed down in the case of John Francis Greene, who was convicted in 1900 on a charge of falsely and fraudulently representing himself to be a citizen of this country. By his appeal Greene challenged the sufficiency of the indictment, upon which he was tried and convicted. The Appellate Court's decision, which holds against the defendant, recites, in part, as follows:

"The gist of the offense, under the statute, is that the defendant, with knowledge of its true character, and with intent to use the same, its actual use is not made necessary by the statute."

GOOD ADVISE—Schilling's Best tea and coffee.

Times' New Year's Annual. The Midwinter Number of The Times has an unprecedented sale; more copies have been mailed away than in any previous year. It is a great personal letter to ever give them as much as possible. It will find its way to every home. It will send a copy to their customers and correspondents. Real estate dealers can help themselves in no better way than by supplying clients with a copy of this great paper. Anybody, anywhere, will surely be delighted to receive a copy. "Land of Sunshine" publications. Mail orders promptly filled.

POSSE FLOGS WIFE BEATER.

He Gets Twenty Lashes and Tar and Feathers.

Ranchmen Then Raise Purse for Injured Woman.

Social Leaders Arrested for Playing for Prizes.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.) NEW YORK (Wyo.) Feb. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A posse of ranchmen, living on the range hereabout, went to the home of Edward M. Wallace, a notorious wife-beater, late last night, dragged Wallace out of his bed, took him out of doors, stripped him of his clothing, gave him twenty lashes on his bare back, and then applied to him a coat of tar and feathers, and ordered him to leave the community on pain of being lynched. Wallace lost no time in getting away.

Those who punished him have raised a purse of several hundred dollars for his wife and three children, who were in destitute circumstances. Wallace used to be a sheep herder, but for the past year he has refused to work, and of late he has been cruelly beating his wife and abusing his children.

FOUND WITH THROATS CUT. THREE KILLED IN HOME. (BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.) OTTAWA (Can.) Feb. 4.—The bodies of Mrs. Frank Smek and her two children, a boy aged 7 and a girl aged 5, were found with their throats cut in the home of Mrs. Smek at Centerville, twelve miles north of here, today.

The body of the mother was in bed while those of the children were upon the floor. It is not known whether this is a case of murder and suicide or a triple murder.

Smek had not been at home for several months, and is believed to be somewhere in the West.

ARRESTED SOCIAL CARD PARTY. PLAY FOR PRIZES IS CHARGED. (BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.) PRINCETON (Mo.) Feb. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Thirty-two residents of this town, among them some most respected citizens of Princeton, have been arrested on information filed by Prosecuting Attorney B. F. Kesler on a charge of playing cards for prizes.

The charges are based on the Revised Statutes of Missouri, which prohibits playing "at any game whatsoever for money, property, or gain with dice, cards, or any other device."

Kesler has been clearing out gambling places in Princeton and it is said that Stanford, Walter's right arm, is against the card parties. All the accused will stand trial, and the first case is set for February 7. It is declared by the prosecutor that if they are convicted they will cause proceedings to be instituted against their recent hosts.

Stanford, Walter's right arm, is against a number of other social and religious people for playing dominoes for prizes. Similar action has been taken against them in various parts of the state, but this is the first opportunity to test whether playing for prizes is really unlawful.

The maximum punishment under statute is a fine of \$500.

In this case, where some persons under age were concerned. This makes it possible to prescribe a penalty upon the grounds of not more than six months in the County Jail.

WANTS TO KEEP HIM IN PRISON. MOVES TO PUT INSANE MURDERER IN PENITENTIARY.

Prosecuting Attorney Reins Point That Slayer of Judge Mead is Dangerous and Can Be Safely Attended Only in Ward for Demented at Walla Walla.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.) SEATTLE, Feb. 4.—Prosecuting Attorney McKinnish will go to Tacoma tomorrow to make a motion before Superior Judge Snell of Pierce county to have Chester Thompson, who was acquitted on the grounds of insanity for the murder of former Judge Mead of Seattle, confined in the insane ward at the State penitentiary at Walla Walla. Judge Snell, before whom the case was tried on charge of venue from King county, announced this morning that he would entertain such a motion.

Will H. Thompson, father of the young man, will every effort to prevent such a step. The father wants to send him to the State Asylum for the Insane at Medical Lake. McKinnish will base his motion upon the fact that Chester Thompson is dangerous to be large, and that he can better be prevented from doing any act of violence in the penitentiary than in an asylum.

CRIME BRIEFS.

Accused of Swindling. CHICAGO, Feb. 4.—E. E. Emmons is under arrest, charged with swindling a number of people through the sales of mining stocks. The arrest was made at the instance of Police Sergeant Bunner of San Francisco, who alleges that Emmons represented himself as a joint owner of a mine at Siskiyou, Cal., and made fraudulent sales of the stock.

Barbary Coast Mele. SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 4.—In a quarrel on the Barbary Coast at early hour this morning, Samuel A. Phillips, a negro, was fatally shot by William Jones, another colored man, and two white men were badly beaten. The trouble arose over the passing by two negroes, about whom some remarks were passed. Jones was arrested.

Wife Accused of Crime. SEATTLE, Feb. 4.—John Jackson, a laborer, who was found dead in the room occupied by him and his wife, Ruth Jackson, last Friday, was murdered. The coroner's inquest, performed today, showed that the blade of a knife had penetrated the heart an eighth of an inch. Mrs. Jackson, under arrest, suspected of the crime. She denies all knowledge of it.

The court martial for the trial of Maj. W. Penrose, Twenty-fifth Infantry, charged with neglect of duty in connection with the Brownsville incident, opened yesterday at Fort Sam Houston. Maj. Penrose was arraigned and pleaded not guilty.

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THAW DEFENSE WEEK.

(Continued from Second Page.)

armor of permanent protectiveness, fell from him.

No sooner had Garvan, with his contained, impassive, logical manner, begun to outline the case, than Thaw's face suddenly went hollow. The fullness seemed to drop away from it and center upon his withering lips. Over his high, Indian-like cheek bones that queer fold of flesh jerked and quivered, his restless eyes, sunken and dulled, glanced furtively about the room.

His color faded to a muddy yellow.

Had the Prosecuting Attorney flared out in denunciation and exhortation there might have come from Harry Thaw an answering dash of wrath, which should have given him courage to fight his accuser.

But Thaw and Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, cool, impersonal piling of fact upon fact with its culmination in the charge that this crime was a cruel, malicious, premeditated taking of a human life, tore him down under its weight.

It was a hunted being that huddled behind the group of lawyers at the table given over to the defense.

Or the Thaw women, now only before the ordeal with the prisoner, Mrs. Carnegie sat throughout the day absorbed, as always, in the exclusion of every outer happening, in the light for her brother's life.

Mrs. Thaw and Evelyn Nesbit Thaw had come early. With the young wife was the faithful Mae Mackenzie. Their stay was brief. The rule excluding witnesses that they were asked to leave.

"Do I have to go?" asked Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, wistfully. Of Lawyer Daniel O'Reilly, he nodded, and instead of going out by the nearest passage the young wife made her way to where the prisoner sat. He reached up over his shoulder to catch her hand and press it, and as his mother followed, the face lightened with a quick smile. Not again that day did he smile.

What Mayer Cohen was called Lawyer Deimas, the San Francisco lawyer, who is supposed to be the defense's main reliance, gave the first evidence of his confidence in his client's innocence, he leans upon the rail with a fountain pen projecting like an exclamation point from his chest.

It has its appropriate uses, for the San Francisco legal light is emphatic and impressive in its lightest utterance.

One thing which Lawyer Deimas seemed desirous of bringing out was that Stanford, Walter's right arm, was free and ready for use. It is expected that Evelyn Thaw will go on the stand tomorrow to have her life in the effort to save her husband.

POLICE CHIEF IN THAW TRIAL.

WILL GIVE ALLEGED DAMAGING TESTIMONY.

Was Man Who Arrested Slayer of Wife at Instigation of Woman who Claimed He Was Trying to Lead Fifteen-Year-Old Girl Astray—Declares He Had an "Alias."

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.) PITTSBURGH (Pa.) Feb. 4.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A genuine Thaw sensation was sprung here today when it became known that Chief of Police James R. Doty of Wilkesburg had been granted a week's vacation by the Town Council, and that he was leaving for New York, where he will become a witness at the Thaw trial.

Chief Doty was the officer who arrested Harry Kendall Thaw—the man who now is said to have seen Thaw at the instigation of Mrs. Margaret Fitch of Wilkesburg, in November, 1905, Mrs. Fitch claiming that Thaw or "A. J. Robinson," as his name was given, was trying to lead her fifteen-year-old daughter, Ida, astray.

Doty is said to know more about the case, which has never been made public, nor is there any intimation to be made of what the evidence of the Thaw case will testify for, or by whose side he has been requested to go to New York.

In addition to this, it was found today that both Mrs. Margaret Fitch and her daughter, Ida, have gone to New York. They closed their house in Wilkesburg, took the 8:30 train for New York, saying they might be gone three weeks.

EXPOSES LAND FRAUDS. Cases Involve Men of High Standing on Pacific Coast in Big Swindles.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.) SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 4.—The California State Bar Association, acting under instructions from President Roosevelt, Thomas Neuhausen, an Inspector of the Interior Department, cooperating with State Mineralogist Lewis Aubrey, has been investigating the locations in California and has unearthed a host of frauds which will be made the basis of criminal prosecutions. The investigation, which has been sweeping in its scope, will involve men of wealth, influence and high social standing in California. One of the men against whom proceedings have begun is well known to San Franciscans and has been rated as a millionaire. These exposures are separate and distinct, from the old land fraud cases.

TO REVISE DUTCH CHARTER. Commission Bars Bourne's Succession to Throne and Simplifies Laws.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.) THE HAGUE, Feb. 4.—In its report just issued the State Commission appointed to revise the Constitution of Holland, recommended the exclusion from succession to the throne of Capt. Bourne, after the abdication of the sovereign, and authorization for the commission to alter it in case of emergency.

The commission also recommends that the qualifications of candidates be the same in both chambers, and that

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MARCHIONESS HASTINGS DIES. Beauty of Mid-Victorian Era Ends Remarkable and Romantic Career.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.) LONDON, Feb. 4.—Florence Cecilia Paget, Marchioness of Hastings, died yesterday at Windsor, after a romantic career. She was the greatest beauty in the mid-Victorian period. While she was engaged to Henry Chaplin (later president of the local government board) in 1864, she made a runaway marriage with the Marquis of Hastings, who was then at the zenith of his wild career on the turf. Three years later Chaplin won the Derby and £755,000 with an outsider, while the Marquis of Hastings lost heavily on the same race, beginning a series of losses which led him, the following year, to commit suicide.

The Marchioness in 1870 married Sir George Chetwynd. She had a son by her last marriage, who married an American, Rosemond, the daughter of the late Charles Secher of New York.

WRECK KILLS SEVEN. Parting of Coal Train Is Fatal and Fire Prevents Rescue of Victims.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.) DES MOINES, (Iowa) Feb. 4.—Seven miners were killed and twelve or more injured in a wreck of a coal train on the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad near the corporation limits of Des Moines this evening.

The dead are John Pilstrom, Peter Axner, Olaf Anderson, Albert Olson, Carl Larsen, Samuel Drew.

The accident was due to the car in the middle of the train leaving the track and ditching the cars behind it. The train had on board about thirty miners, scattered in groups on different coal cars, and several passengers were in the coaches. The victims were all made public until Sunday, when the rescue work difficult. It is feared that when the wreckage is fully cleared away, other victims may be found.

RAILROAD OPERATOR IS ILL. CHICAGO, Feb. 4.—Vice-President Muller of the Pacific, in ill of pneumonia at the Auditorium Annex Hotel here. He has been confined to his bed for a week, but the matter was not made public until Sunday, when his daughter, who has been by his bedside for a week, returned to Omaha. Muller is now thought to be out of danger.

Quotations on gasoline and naphtha were again advanced one cent a gallon by the Standard Oil Company yesterday at Cleveland, O.

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ran 76, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100. Each averaged Maguire will meet Seymour to and Kennedy tomorrow night.

ers, Sales and Snelgar. The latter, Berkeley, has confidently announced that according to the terms of the intercollegiate agreement adopted in 1966, the meet will be held at California, while the Stanford Executive Committee, on the argument that since

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FOUR KILLED IN STORM.

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has done thousands of dollars' worth
of damage to bridges and roads. The
large bridge which had just been com-
pleted by the Atlantic, Gulf and Pa-
cific, and which was to be the new
Piedra bridge. At Mendocino the
lumber company's boom broke, and
nearly a thousand logs rushed toward
the coast, taking with them the bridge
with them and cutting off travel to
the coast. All three of these bridges
went out last year and had just been
replaced.

The county road between this city
and Boonville, and from Gualala to
Westport, is in an impassable con-
dition. All of this road was damaged
by the earthquake last year, and when
the heavy rain started it slid out.
Numbers of small bridges have also
gone out, and the track is blocked
by a large slide at Summit, and com-
munication with the northern part of
the county is cut off. All the railroad
from Willits to Sherwood is in bad
shape, as the ties are out and the
tracks are covered with slides.

The Port Bragg Railroad from Al-
pine to Port Bragg is completely de-
molished, and it will take several
weeks to repair it.

MISSISSIPPI IS IN FULL FLOOD.

LEVEE BREAKS BELOW NEW
ORLEANS, BUT IS CLOSED.

For Time Flood Rushes on Orange
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Serious Loss—Waters Rise Stead-
ily and Worst Is Not Yet Over.

Railroad Rushes Repair Materials.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 4.—[Exclu-
sive Dispatch.] The crest of the Mis-
sissippi flood is rapidly coming south
and the increase in the rate of rise
here has already been noted. It went
up nearly two-tenths today, the gauge
tonight reading 18.7. Chief State En-
gineer Kerr returned this afternoon from
a thorough inspection of the upper
leaves from the Arkansas line down to
Vicksburg, and reports conditions as
satisfactory, with every chance of the
leaves holding out without any serious
crises.

Early this morning during a heavy
downpour of rain the levee in front of
the Potash Orange Grove, 14 miles
down on the right bank of the river,
gave way, but by prompt work the
crisis was practically closed by 5
o'clock this afternoon. The break was
twenty feet wide by twelve feet deep
in the center, and was caused by the
blowing out of an old crayfish hole
which had been repaired last October.
The Grand Isle road rushed material
to the scene from New Orleans and
from Burak, and work was started on
both ends at the same time. A com-
plete crib was built and it practically
stopped the flow of water so that trains
could resume through traffic.

This morning a slight depression de-
veloped in the levee at Congress street
in the Third District, but the Orleans
Levee Board rushed a large force of
men to the scene, and not only was
the depression filled in, but the levee
strengthened. The entire line of the
New Orleans levee is regarded as ab-
solutely safe.

GRIP BOTHERS LEGISLATORS.
SEQUEL OF GREAT BLIZZARD.
(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
PORTLAND (Or), Feb. 4.—[Exclu-
sive Dispatch.] An epidemic of colds
and grip is interfering very seriously
with the work of a number of mem-
bers of the Legislature. While none of
the cases are serious, the illness is suf-
ficiently severe to make it exceedingly
difficult for them to try to work.

Representative Frank Davey, Speak-
er of the House, is among those who
are under the weather, and if he fol-
lows the advice of his physician he
will do very little work for the next
few days.

The frequent changes in the weather
and the east winds are generally as-
signed as the causes of the prevailing
illness. The poor ventilation of the
legislative hall undoubtedly has much
to do with it. The only means of ven-
tilation is by opening windows. As the
rooms soon become close and over-
heated, the windows must be opened
and then the men sitting in the Sen-
ate or the House are subjected to
draughts of cold air upon their heads
and bad colds, developing into cases
of grip, result.

Veteran Freezes to Death.
LEAVENWORTH (Kan.) Feb. 4.—
William Higley, a veteran of the Civil
War 61 years old, was found frozen to
death within the home grounds this
afternoon. He had crawled through a
hole in a hedge fence, but being ex-
hausted, sank within sight of his bar-
racks and died from exposure.

Nine Below at Kansas City.
KANSAS CITY (Mo.) Feb. 4.—The
cold weather continues throughout
Kansas, Indian Territory, Oklahoma
and Western Missouri, with tempera-
tures below zero, but none of the snow
falling. The lowest temperature in
Kansas City was nine below zero at 3
o'clock this morning. The lowest tem-
perature in the Southwest was lower
than since February, 1905.

Kansas Is Two Below.
TOPEKA (Kan.) Feb. 4.—This is the
coldest weather this section of Kansas
has experienced since February 12,
1905. At 6 o'clock this morning the
temperature was two below zero.

Snow at Omaha.
OMAHA (Neb.) Feb. 4.—The first
real snow of the season is falling over
Nebraska, winter wheat fields. The
temperature was 4 below zero last night.

Wisconsin Is Forty Below.
SUPERIOR (Wisc.) Feb. 4.—Ther-
mometers registered 40 below zero this
morning.

Madrid Gets Nipped.
MADRID, Feb. 4.—The coldest
weather experienced in a generation is
prevailing in Spain. Railroad com-
munication is everywhere interrupted.

VOLUNTEER FIREMEN DIE.
Three Are Killed and Four Hurt While
Working on Ruins Left by Fire.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)
WHITE PLAINS (N. Y.) Feb. 4.—
Three volunteer firemen were killed and
four injured, one of them fatally, early
today, while working upon the ruins of
the Mead building, which was destroyed
by fire last night.

The dead are: John Cronwell, 20
years old, assistant cashier of the
First National Bank; Charles Cookey,
30 years old, a real estate agent; Cal-
der Underhill, 22 years old, a livery
man, and Emil Burgess, 44 years old,
a candy maker, believed to be fatally
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STATE LEGISLATURE.

(Continued from Fifth Page.)

The Governor to set apart one day in
each year, to be designated as "Bad
and Arduous Day" and to request its
observance, was passed by the Senate
today. The Senate also passed Sen-
ator Rolley's bill providing for a
Board of Harbor Commissioners at
Eureka, and fixing their salary at \$400
per year.

Among other bills passed by the
Senate was one by Senator Belshaw
fixing a standard in dairy products
and prohibiting adulteration, and a
bill by Senator McCarter providing
that polls shall be kept open on elec-
tion days from 6 a. m. to 6 p. m. The
following bills were reported to the
Senate with committee recommenda-
tions that they do pass:

By Senator McKee—Fixing annual
license of \$100 on all itinerant vendors
of drugs, medicines or medical appli-
cances.

By Senator Rolley—Prohibiting, un-
der penalty of a fine from \$25 to \$50,
the use of any preservative in milk
or cream.

By Senator Black—Exempting from
taxation the buildings of the Stanford
University and bonds held in trust for
the institution.

All robberies in which deadly weap-
ons are used and which are committed
between sunset and sunrise are made
a capital crime, punishable by death
of life imprisonment, in a bill intro-
duced in the Senate today by Senator
Wolfe. Senator Wolfe also intro-
duced a proposed constitutional
amendment limiting the expenses of
either house of the Legislature for at-
tendees and employees at \$500 per day.

Grove L. Johnson's "No seat no fare"
bill was favorably reported in the As-
sembly today. The bill provides that
no fares need be paid or tickets sur-
rendered unless a seat is provided.

While the bill does not specifically
state that it applies to street cars, and
only reads "railroads," Mr. Johnson
stated that it was the intention the
law should also apply to street rail-
ways.

A bill striking at contributions to po-
litical campaigns by corporations was
introduced in the Senate today by Sen-
ator Sanford. The bill is an adaptation
of the law now in force in New York,
and provides that no corporation or
joint stock association shall directly or
indirectly pay or offer, consent or agree
to use any money or property for or in
aid of any political party, in aid of
candidate for office or nomination.

The Senate passed Senator Rolley's
bill appropriating \$50,000 for the survey
and construction of a State highway
connecting the county road systems of
Humboldt and Trinity counties. Also a
number of private claims bills were
passed.

The enactment of a law requiring
dealers in firearms to keep a register of
all sales of guns, pistols and other fire-
arms with the names and addresses of
the purchaser is proposed in a bill by
Assemblyman Johnson. The object of
the bill, he explained, is to aid in the
tracing and detection of crime.

A bill introduced by Johnson in the
Assembly provides that it shall be un-
lawful for any superior judge to or-
der or allow any suit to be brought at
the expense of the estate of a deceased
person except where there is a debt
on the estate, or where there are minor
heirs whose interests can only be pro-
tected by such a suit.

Assemblyman Eschelman of Berkeley
introduced a bill providing that the rate
of interest in notes, contracts and
other written instruments shall not
exceed 12 per cent. per year, and any
stipulation for a greater rate shall
make void all the interest in the agree-
ment.

Mr. Davis introduced a bill requir-
ing the separate marking of each can-
didate voted for in elections.

The Assembly passed two bills in-
troduced by the late Assemblyman
Burke. One requires all boards of su-
perintendents to grant members of fire
departments a yearly vacation of
fifteen days. The other bill makes it
unlawful to expel persons upon sidewalks
or in trains, cars and other public
conveyances.

RUNS ON BURNING BRIDGE.
Engine and Five Cars Go Through,
Ten Are Destroyed, but No
Lives Lost.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)
OMAHA (Neb.) Feb. 4.—The engine
and five cars of Burlington freight
train, No. 48, west bound, went through
a burning bridge just as the train was
approaching Edgemont, S. D., Sunday
afternoon. Ten cars with their con-
tents were destroyed, and the engine
badly wrecked, but none of the crew
was injured. The engineer was unable
to stop the engine before the bridge
was reached. He and two firemen
jumped and saved themselves. Con-
ductor Hopkins was in charge of the
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 A handsome residence in the Westside
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MURDERS W

SIX-YEAR-OLD SON W
BOTH ATTEMPTED

After Weeks of Grueling
Fire Three Bullets Into His
She Opened Street Door and
Shoots Himself, Ball Laid
Jaw, Failing to Inflict
Wound.

(BY DESK) WIRE TO THE
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 26.—
Mrs. Eva Ahlbom, aged 29,
died tonight by her husband
J. Ahlbom, aged 34, in the
their home, No. 983 Capp street,
murderer then attempted to
suicide but failed to inflict
wound.

The tragedy was the culmination
of weeks of violent quarreling
being indulged in by the
neighbor Ahlbom chased his
neighbor's home, and with
turned, and fired three bullets
into his head, neck and
as she opened the street door.
The woman died an hour in
City and County Hospital
wondering if she was to die.
Ahlbom shot himself through the
the bullet merely lodged in
the couple is six-year-old son
the tragedy. Ahlbom is an
a driver by the California
Works.

RUFUSES NICK
LOSES MIL

SUCH IS FATE OF MRS.
BETH McILWAIN

Brother Asks for Car Fare
She Denies Him, Then He
Her Power of Attorney and
Arrest for Embezzlement of
Thousand Dollars.

(BY DESK) WIRE TO THE
SAN JOSE, Feb. 26.—[Exclu-
sive.] Because the referee
paid-far for her millionaire
George B. McAnany, Mrs.
McIlwain has lost control of
estate and appeared in Po
to answer the charge of emb
of \$1000. Her will was ann
and hearing is set for Feb.
According to Mrs. McIlwain
says her brother is incompet
manages his own affairs and
imagines he is in danger of
to a madhouse. A. H. Jarro
of her attorney, who he says
Sunday night everything was
the McAnany family. Then
show left. Mrs. McIlwain's
was removed and she was
treated on a charge of emb

RAISE PEOPLE QUICK
SAN JOSE PEOPLE RISE
(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS)
SAN JOSE, Feb. 26.—[Exclu-
path.] At the morning serv-
First Methodist Church here,
W. W. Case asked that mem-
ber's \$500 for a building fund
chapel which is under con-
struction on the corner of
Fifth and Santa Clara street
and friends of the congre-
gation. The offering was
at least made the sum \$1
most of erecting the chapel w
or six months. The new
add to the money already ra
congregation will enter the
practically debt free, \$15,000
The structure will accom-
modate 500, but it is expected
that the new building will
property immediately adjacent
chapel at a cost of between \$3
\$4,000 in the near future.

COULD GET A LAND
COURT'S REVERSE JUDGE
(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS)
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 26.—
United States Court of App
has reversed the decision
entered in the case of the West
coast Railroad Company against
Southern Pacific to fix the
former company to cross the
the latter, and build its mole
at its home here today of pos
San Francisco Bay.

Judge Morrow some months
back in the Circuit Court in
the Southern Pacific, holding
for the title of the Oakland
company the Southern Pacific
ad sole title to the lands in
refuse reclaimed or not. The
the title of the Oakland com
enables George J. Gould to
ending on the other side of
for his new transcontinental r
the title of the Oakland com
provision, which was delivered
loss of Los Angeles, Judge W
nourishing.

OBITUARY.

Mr. S. A. Baker.
SAN FRANCISCO CITY, Feb. 26.—
Slaves. Baker, one of the founders of
Republican party, and pro-slave
and a pioneer editor of north
California, died at his home
aged 92. He was born in Ariz
and was one of the oldest
men in age and experience in Co
California.

Joseph H. Graves.
STOCKTON, Feb. 26.—[Exclu-
sive.] Joseph H. Graves, who
early seventies, is dead at his
near Farmington, aged 74 year
and leaves a son, Hamilton C.
of the city, who is nearly 30
this county, Ezra and Maud.

Gen. G. B. Holabird.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—[Exclu-
sive.] General G. B. Holabird, retired,
oldest and best-known army
the country, died in this city
at his home here today of pos
will be buried in the So
Cemetery, Tuesday aftern

Myer Marks.
STOCKTON, Feb. 26.—[Exclu-
sive.] Myer Marks, one of the
of the earliest citizens of Sto
at 74 years. He had been a r
of the city for more than 30
during that time served on
than any other man in
of the city, and was a mem
Simon and Mrs. Harriet May,
J. Gramma.

CHICAGO, Feb. 26.—[Exclu-
sive.] John J. Grant, a well-
and traffic manager of that
times west of Buffalo died
city. He had been ill for se

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ONLY A MONTH OLD—BUT, OH MY!

London Financiers Are Already Alarmed.

The Japan Herald of Yokohama commented with Mr. Weale. It says: "We have no doubt that the statements made by Mr. Weale are borne out by a consultation we had not long ago with a gentleman who has visited Korea on business, and who there met representatives of a foreign syndicate, who were making investigations in regard to the iron industries. The conclusions of the latter gentleman were that, under present conditions, it is impossible

after a lively scuffle with a footpad, 34-year-old Ella Blakesley wrenched her handbag from the thief's grasp at Sacramento and Mateo streets about 11 o'clock last night, and escaped with her mother, Mrs. J. F. Blakesley, to their home at No. 2034 Sacramento street.

noon at 5:30, when the whistle blows. If you happen to be in the neighborhood of Seventh and Alameda street at this time of day you will see between 500 and 600 men and women leaving the Bishop plant, where they have been at work all day, and at the same time see the night force entering the buildings.

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First street. According to Mason, men approached him as he was passing along Los Angeles street and ordered him to hold up his hands. One of the men struck Mason under the left arm inflicting a wound about two inches long.

FALLS FROM CAR.

J. McNamara, a grading camp employe, attempted to board an out-bound Boyle Heights trolley car at First

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—Continuing his speech today in the Senate, Senator Heyburn criticized the administration's public land laws, Senator Heyburn said there was no necessity for, and likelihood of, Congress loaning the Forestry Bureau \$3,000,000 as asked by the President.

He said the last report of the showed \$273,000 to the credit of the reforestation fund, "and yet the proposition

to, who arrived at Kansas City last night to give a concert in Union Hall, is indisposed. It is yesterday that the singer's head canceled all her western engagements and would immediately return home in the East.

Twenty-five or thirty million majority foreigners, are supposed to be dead at the result of an explosion yesterday in a mine of the International Coal and Coke Company at Elkington, Pa.

men who are back of the a year ago resulted in the law prohibiting sale of gold and silver articles interstate foreign commerce.

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Lemon Snaps
Cupid Chips
Ginger Cakes
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Ginger Snaps
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Cracker Meal
Fruit Wafers
Butter Thins
Oriental Tea
Salted Wafers
Vanilla Snaps
Lunch Biscuit
Vanilla Wafers
Cheese Squares
Oyster Crackers
Michigan Butters
Cheese Wafers
Dyspeptic Graham
Hilo Graham Wafers
Blue Point Butters
Bb's. of Ginger Snaps
Fruit Cake, about 1 lb.
Grandma Ginger Cookies
Graham Wafers Size No. 1
Graham Wafers Size No. 2
Cupid Wafers Lemon (small)
Cupid Wafers Ginger (small)
Cupid Wafers Vanilla (small)
Cupid Wafers Ass'd (small)
Cupid Wafers Chocolate (small)
Crimp Sodas No. 1, salt and unsalt
Crimp Sodas No. 2, salt and unsalt
Crimp Sodas No. 3, salt and unsalt
Princess Sodas No. 1, salt and unsalt
Princess Sodas No. 2, salt and unsalt
Princess Sodas No. 3, salt and unsalt

Packed in Tins

Late Tea
Graham Flakes
Oatmeal Flakes
Cupid Wafers Lemon
Cupid Wafers Ginger
Cupid Wafers Vanilla
Cupid Wafers Ass'd
Kenwood Wafers small
Kenwood Wafers medium
Fruit Cake, about 5 lbs.
Cupid Chips, about 2 lbs.
Water Wafers, about 1 1/2 lbs.

A SUGGESTION TO THE HOUSEKEEPER

We would suggest to every housekeeper that they cut this page out and keep it in their cook book. Then it will be handy to refer to any time and it will be a page full of suggestions when you want something tempting and dainty to serve for any occasion.

When you want something dainty to serve with salad, you'll find Bishop's Salted Wafers or Cupid Chips, just the thing.

For the first course, especially when it's oyster soup the thing to serve then is Bishop's Oyster Crackers

Then when the oysters are brought on it's time for Bishop's Blue Point Butters

For lunch, Bishop's Lunch Biscuits or Cheese Wafers are very nice.

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For the children to nibble on between meals, something that's healthful for them, and they will like, are both Bishop's Graham Wafers and Grandma Ginger Cookies.

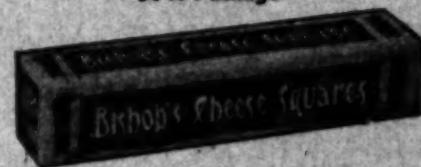
We have tried to hint at only a few of the various occasions when some of the different Bishop crackers can be used. When you have tried these, then order some of the others in our long list.



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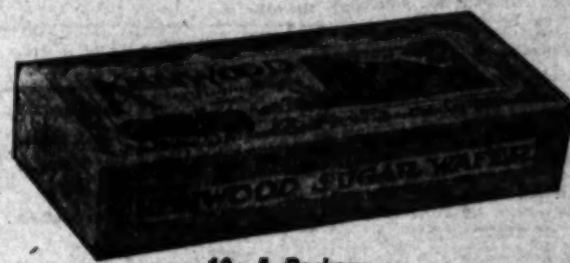
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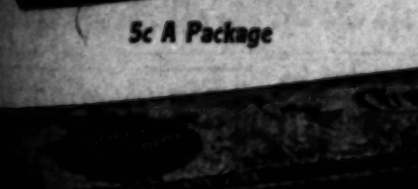
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5c A Package



20c A Package



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Spring Fashions

Shoppers may take a first peep at some lately arrived models in gowns and white waists. While the season is by no means complete it is ample enough in prospects to give a good idea of what fashion has in store for the following.

WHITE WAISTS \$1.00
Made, perfect fitting of white lawn, with bands of fine embroidery and fine tucks. Long sleeves, open front; a splendid value for \$1.00.

WHITE WAISTS \$1.50
Fine lawn or India linen waists with short sleeves, open back, all over embroidery front with fine tucked yoke effect. A garment you'll admit is worth much more. Each, \$2.00.

LAWN WAISTS \$2.00
Fine lawn or India linen waists with short sleeves, open back, all over embroidery front with fine tucked yoke effect. A garment you'll admit is worth much more. Each, \$2.00.

Spring Fashions for Spring

Days suits are arriving so fast—and are being eagerly by thoughtful women—that only by frequent visits may one hope to get even a view of all the novelties. Today the exhibit embraces:

Tailored suits in a variety of light colored checks and old little mixtures, priced up to \$22.50.
Dresses of Rajah and taffeta silk in both black and white, and black voiles in a number of pretty designs for occasions. Prices up to \$60.00.

WALKER GONE INTO MEXICO.

Missing Phoenix Man Not Lost as Feared.

Acquaintance Sees Him on Southern Train.

Supposed to Be Out for a New Start.

Instead of being dead or having met with foul play, J. Ernest Walker, a real estate broker of Phoenix, and well known in Los Angeles, is somewhere in the vicinity of Guadalajara, Mex., where he is thought to be trying to work out a new salvation in business with the small capital of \$100.

Walker, who has been one of the most prominent real estate men of Phoenix, has been missing for several weeks, and great fear was entertained concerning his personal safety. Immediately following his disappearance a host of unpaid debts appeared, and considerable anxiety arose, which was not alone directed toward his personal safety. It was believed that while en route for Los Angeles and San Francisco he had met with accident or foul play, and would never be heard of again. This belief still holds sway to the exclusion of all others in Phoenix.

FOUND BY PARLEY.
The Times is in receipt of a letter from Edward Parley, a well-known citizen of San Fernando, who knew Walker well while in Phoenix. He says he met him on a train en route to El Paso, Tex., about January 12, and had a long talk with him. Walker

to have been a success also, and Walker's personal resources were thought to be very large. Reverses, however, are said to have set in, and one thing after the other went wrong until it is said he became almost irresponsible owing to his nervous condition.

He had never mentioned any intention of going to Mexico, but the bad condition of his investments and personal finances are looked upon as meaning that he will not return for the present, but will remain across the border and try to rebuild his fortune.

BUG IN CHARTER AMENDMENT?

COUNCIL MAY ASK LEGISLATURE TO WITHHOLD APPROVAL.

Non-Partisans think Powers conferred on Board of Public Works too sweeping—Deputy Delivered Authority—Will Decide on Program at Conference With City Attorney.

Non-partisan members of the City Council think they have discovered a "bug" in the charter amendments now under consideration by the State Legislature. They will meet the City Attorney in executive session this morning to determine whether they shall send a delegation to the Legislature, asking that charter amendment No. 1, relating to the Board of Public Works, be not approved.

The objectionable feature in the amendment is the clause placing the expenditure of the Owens River bond money wholly in the jurisdiction of the Board of Public Works. The three commissioners of that department are made sole custodians of the vast fund.

No authorization from the Council is necessary to spend money, and the Council can place no check on reckless expenditure. The board by its own action can override the protest of the Auditor and vote money from the treasury in \$50,000 lump sum for use by the disbursing agent.

This is the way the Councilmen have construed the rather ambiguous amendment. The Assistant City Attorney gave an opinion yesterday placing on it a like construction.

Without announcing the intent of their act, the Non-Partisans secured yesterday an adjournment of the Council until this afternoon. Mr. Hawitt returned home from Sacramento last night. His opinion on the charter amendment will decide whether the Non-Partisans will advocate a resolution asking the Legislature to withhold approval of the Los Angeles charter amendments. Latest advice from Sacramento is to the effect that the charter amendments have been ratified by but one branch.

Supreme secrecy has marked each stage of this scrutiny by the Non-Partisans. Even the five Republicans in the Council have not been enlightened as to the suspicious-looking "bug" in the Board of Public Works amendment.

Under the charter provision, bond money can be expended by the Board of Public Works only after authorization has been received from the Council. Under the new amendment this authorization is dispensed with, and the action of the board is final.

The Non-Partisans view the amendment with disfavor, because it takes the disbursement of the \$25,000,000 of Owens River bonds out of the hands of the elective representatives of the people. The Council, the Mayor, and the Auditor are helpless; three appointed officials are to be "re-called" as financing the enterprise.

Plainly, such was the intent of the framers of the amendment, but objection is made that it was not properly understood when it was ratified by the people in the December election.

For some reason not explained, the commission on the amendment of public works have not been apprised that the Councilmen "view with alarm" the Board of Public Works amendment.

Under the amendment, the board, the Councilmen may consider that the commissioners have been a party all along to keeping the real purpose of the amendment from the people.

The amendment was discussed pretty thoroughly at the time it was placed in the list of amendments to be voted on by the people. Then it was generally understood that the disbursement of bond money was to be placed wholly beyond the jurisdiction of the Mayor and the Council. An official friendly to the Board of Public Works said last night that the Non-Partisans had not been apprised of their personal can't under the charter amendment.

It is well that the Council should control over bond money, and the people are willing.

WAR BREAKS OVER WATER.

Famous Dike at Arteria Is Chopped Down.

Flood Rushes Out Again on Fertile Lands.

Unfairness Charged Against Farmer-Builders.

War broke out yesterday between J. Ross Clark and the farmers who built the famous Arteria canal to confine the runaway San Gabriel River.

Believing that the farmers had been treacherous, J. Ross Clark's foreman sallied forth and cut out the dikes successfully built by the ranchmen last fall.

Road Overseer McKinney reported to the Board of Supervisors yesterday that a gang of men from the Clark ranch cut away sixteen pillars and made a gap of at least sixty-four feet in one dike, letting the flood tear forth over the country, just as it used to do before the people combined to hold back the waters with dikes.

The water is now said to be spreading over hundreds of acres of valuable farm land below the trolley bridge.

The cut-away dike was located on the lap of R. E. Ibbotson, a real estate agent, who takes the side of J. Ross Clark and is with him in the fight against the farmers who built the dike.

Mr. Ibbotson stated yesterday that it is a fact that Mr. Clark and himself caused the dike to be cut away and the water allowed to rush over the land again.

"It was only just that we should do so," he said. "The farmers on what is known as the east side (of the river) took our money and men and built a straight line, as they agreed to do, or following the natural course of the river flows, and then they turned the river over on the lands of the west side, away from the town of Arteria."

"This caused the water to flow over on the land on our side of the river. Hundreds of acres of Mr. Clark's land was inundated and made useless. They wouldn't do anything to repair the dike, or we didn't want a gang of men out and cut down the dike."

"The section of dikes that we cut was on my own land. I understand the District Attorney says that the dikes were built to hold back the river were financed by a private corporation, the members of which were the farmers; there is no formal protection district down there. It is a perfect right to cut down the dikes on my own land."

"The effect of our cutting will simply be to turn a fair share of the Owens River water over on their lands. We will still have our share."

"We were willing, and still are willing, to do the fair thing by them. We will gladly give up our share of our lands; but the course must be made to run in a straight line along the natural course of the river, and the Owens River must be turned unfairly over on the farmers of the west side of the river."

GOING ON THE STAGE JUST TO BE SHOCKING.



MRS. J. J. HOLTMAN, sometimes known as Mayaville Lou, or the Fairy Toot, who says she will dramatize her alleged marriage with "Jake" Holtman of Asot Park, and will divulge the names of prominent Angelenos who are said to have assisted in a fake ceremony.

MRS. J. J. HOLTMAN, sometimes known as Mayaville Lou, or the Fairy Toot, whose maiden name was Louise Bullock, of Blue Grass fame, is preparing to shock Los Angeles and Louisville, Ky.

Mrs. Holtman says she was married to "Jake" Holtman, a member of the public light, in this city about one year ago, and that Holtman secured the license. Holtman declares he was never married to her and that the marriage license is a forgery. Mrs. Holtman says that if this marriage license is a forgery the ceremony she went through was a fake, and she is prepared to expose the names of the witnesses who, she says, are reputable business men of this city.

From fact of Kentucky comes word of prominent business men who knew of the marriage or the alleged marriage of the Holtmans, and these, also, Mrs. Holtman intends to drag into the public light.

And, shades of Shakespeare! This is the means she intends to employ. She is going on the stage! She is not "stage struck," but demurely acknowledges that she has had a "hankering" for the footlights for some time. She intends to have her experiences with Holtman, both during his alleged courtship and alleged marriage, dramatized and put upon the stage with Mayaville Lou, the buxom brown-haired Blue Grass belle, as the stellar attraction.

Mrs. Holtman is in earnest. Some rascals Angelenos may not believe it, but she is deadly in earnest. She says she has known Joe Weber, New York for years and that an offer he made to her several years ago to appear on the stage has been renewed and she has been requested to dramatize her own peculiar experiences.

Mrs. Holtman was seen yesterday afternoon leading mail to take the place of "Jake Holtman." She will secure some leading woman to take the place of the Mrs. Holtman whom "Jake" acknowledges, and she will have every Angeleno who participated in the fake marriage, and who she avers that she will call each

by the right name. This is where the trouble will occur. It is known that Mrs. Holtman and "Jake" Holtman were families during the last race meeting at Asot Park, and a number of Los Angeles business men were drawn into the matter. Mrs. Holtman, or Miss Bullock, as you please, declares that she was married to Holtman in this city, and that shortly after the San Francisco earthquake she was compelled to leave Holtman owing to the interference of another woman, who, Holtman says, is his legal wife. This Mrs. Holtman is said to have secured a revolver at the hand of Mrs. "Bullock" Holtman, and told her to move on. Then the latter Mrs. Holtman returned to Los Angeles, where she established a business, and certain actions hastily made up a purse and snatched a trip East to Louisville, and in addition purchased some needed clothing for Mrs. Holtman.

The young woman is a good looking, with a wave of dark-brown hair, and a good figure, and avers that she will die before she comes beg labor to either the Holtmans, or establish my standing before society. Then I will use it all over again in having my experience with Holtman dramatized and staged. I have had an offer from Joe Weber, who knows all about my case, and I will go East in a few weeks to actively begin work for taking the leading part myself. I have had considerable experience before the public, and it will not be a new matter for me to appear upon a stage. Today I received a letter from a personal friend of Mr. Holtman, who witnessed our marriage in this city. He offered to take the stand and swear that he witnessed the ceremony and that it was legal."

On the other hand, "Jake" Holtman tells a very different story. It will be remembered that The Times published a declaration from him a few months ago to the effect that the woman is an adventuress, a blackmailer, and that other prominent men had been attacked by her. He said that she was known as Mayaville Lou, or the Fairy Toot, and that she had a very unsavory record in the past. He denied ever having had the slightest dealings with her, and laughed at her statement that he had wed her. He says that he has a wife and several children whom he holds very dear, and says this woman is nothing to him.



J. ERNEST WALKER.

said he was going to Durango, Mex., and probably to Guadalajara. Parley says Walker spoke of his financial troubles in Phoenix, and asked his opinion of the business opportunities in Guadalajara for a man with the small sum of \$100.

Parley says Walker was accompanied by a man from Seattle, who was going to Durango to look into the rubber business. Parley did not know of the interest shown in Walker's absence from Phoenix until he had returned to Los Angeles, and saw the dispatch from Arizona in The Times last Sunday.

Walker left Phoenix, January 2, for this city, and is said to have been sick. He arrived here in due time, and was a guest at the Westminster. He remained in seclusion a great deal. Gen. M. H. Sherman had known Walker in a business way, and met him during his stay here. Gen. Sherman says that Walker did not intimate that he had been financially embarrassed.

LOST IN SAN FRANCISCO.
From this city Walker went to San Francisco, where all trace of him was lost.

Parley's meeting him on a train speeding toward El Paso clears up the mystery, however.

D. D. Horning, Walker's father-in-law, and Elmer White, his business associate, came to Los Angeles about January 20 in search of Walker, but could not locate him. All of Walker's usual haunts were visited and his friends in this city were asked to be on the lookout. Still nothing was heard of the man, and in Phoenix there is a firm belief that Walker has either met with an accident or has committed suicide.

Agents of the relatives of the man followed him to San Francisco, and they report that he acted queerly while in that city, but they were unable to follow any clue after leaving there. One clue, however, was that Walker had telegraphed for rooms at the Westminster in this city. He never called. It was but a few days after this that Parley saw the same Walker's acquaintances on a train going to El Paso.

It is stated that Walker's affairs in Phoenix are in a very tangled condition. There is nothing upon which could be based a criminal prosecution, but there are several deals which the residents of the Arizona city would like to have explained. It is also stated that some of the money of his relatives, and of his clients also, was swallowed up in the disastrous deals which Walker is said to have made, and which Walker is said in his practical failure.

START IN PHOENIX.
Walker went to Phoenix from Virginia, where he has relatives who are influential. This was in 1895, and Walker was then a young man. He was in poor health, and selected Phoenix as his future abiding place. He engaged in the real estate business, and his name became well known among investors in Phoenix or Salt River properties. He amassed considerable money. It is said, and was considered one of the most prominent men there. He acted as agent for such men as Gen. Sherman in land deals, and had a very wide acquaintance in Los Angeles. Walker was interested in a colonization project in the Casa Grande Valley, where 50,000 acres of land was owned by the concern of which he was the head. This property netted a handsome income, and Walker followed this up by organizing the Buckeye Land and Canal Company, with capital stock of \$100,000. He was made secretary-treasurer of the company, and also acted as manager. This concern is said

HOODOO CRAFT IS STRANDED.

RUSSIAN SHIP'S CREW DESERTS AT LONG WHARF.

So Glad to Leave the Sea for This Land of Promise They Don't Go Back for Their Pay—Three Spies of Captains, Say the Longshoremen.

The strange deep-sea hoodoo that follows the various captains of the Russian ship Fenner has dogged her from Los Angeles to San Francisco. Port tales are told about her among the salt-sea gossippers—the longshoremen of the south coast.

The Fenner was towed out to anchorage yesterday, having discharged about half a cargo of iron and general merchandise. The longshoremen say that but four of her crew remained with her—the rest slipped away to the wharf. Deserted and unmanned, the ship went to anchor at the wharf, and until a crew can be collected somewhere.

This is not a "Sea-Wolf" story. It was not brutality. Frank Higgins of the Chamber of Commerce and his associates are really to blame.

The members of the crew of the Fenner were simple Finns. They had heard of this Land of Promise. They could hardly wait for the haulers to be made fast to make a get-away.

Saying that they might desert, Capt. Pederman held back their pay. He gave them about 50 cents apiece. Little they cared. They took the 50 cents and never went back. The steward is said to have "quipped" a Santa Monica butcher for \$10 on the strength of the captain's credit.

The ship's cook fled to the city and has shipped for a voyage with a quick-lunch house.

The members of the crew are said to be hiding around Santa Monica—some of them—and some of them are working on the Malibu ranch waiting for the ship to get away.

Meanwhile, the ship can't get away. The longshoremen story is that this is part of the Fenner's hoodoo. They say that three captains killed themselves before Capt. Pederman took command—that two drowned themselves and the other shot himself.

SURE OF RAY'S RECOVERY.

Surgeons Hope for Wounded Patriot—Critical Condition of Man Who Fought Trenches.

Practically the only development yesterday in the intensification of the news of William J. Ross, who was killed after shooting Patrolman C. A. May, Sunday morning, was the information that Mr. Blakeley of No. 44 East Twenty-first street, and Mr. Lowenstein, of No. 914 East Twenty-first street, identified the dead man.

After these two men had viewed Ross's remains at the morgue they informed the police that Ross had followed them along Twenty-first street Thursday night. They claimed that Ross left the San Pedro street trolley car at Twenty-first and San Pedro streets where they died about 11:45 o'clock, and continued to trail them until they went to their homes. His actions aroused the suspicions of the citizens.

Police Surgeon Quint stated late last evening that Officer May's condition is slightly improved, and although he had a fever, it seemed to leave him. The attending surgeons feel sure that May will recover.

PEACEMAKER INJURED.

Mistaking William O'Rourke's hand for a portion of the anatomy of his opponent, a pet dog belonging to O'Rourke sunk its teeth in the hand last night and seriously injured the member. O'Rourke is a motorman and resides at No. 212 Beaudry avenue. He passes Fifth and Hill streets nearly every day. Every time O'Rourke passes the corner an unfriendly canine attacks O'Rourke's dog. The encounter was more fierce yesterday between the two dogs, and O'Rourke sought to save his dog from harm by picking it out of the fight. Instead he received a wound on his hand. He went to the Receiving Hospital for medical treatment.

FENCED OUT OF CANYON.

Los Angeles Man Tries to Sell Mountain Ranch and Finds He Can't Get to It.

The microphone or germ of neighborhood trouble seems to be rampant just now in the region of San Fernando. On top of the many mix-ups which have developed over stormwater in that neighborhood the past few weeks, a new cause of ruction came before the Board of Supervisors yesterday.

J. S. Hendrickson, a private police officer of this city at present but for years a denizen of Wilson Cañon, had a complaint to voice and a request for aid in reaching his cañon homestead. He has been fenced out.

Hendrickson ten years ago took a homestead in the upper part of the cañon, and lived there until the extreme drouth a few seasons ago drove him down to Los Angeles. Since that time, however, either he or members of his family have made frequent trips to the ranch, where his son has numerous stands of bees.

Recently Hendrickson found a would-be purchaser for the mountain ranch, and Mrs. Hendrickson took the wife of the prospective buyer up to show her the beauties of nature as seen from the cañon. They hired a wagon at San Fernando and drove out to the mountains, only to find that a strong fence barred the road they had used for ten years, and which was the only way of access, because of the narrowness of the cañon.

The fence had been built by C. N. Wilson, who owns the lower part of the cañon bearing his name; and Hendrickson says he was coolly informed by Wilson that he didn't want any more people going up the road, and so proposed to maintain the fence.

Hendrickson wants the Board of Supervisors to declare the road a public highway, and demand that he have access to it, so that he can reach his ranch. Members of the Board are of opinion that Hendrickson will have to prove that the road has been used continuously as a public highway for at least thirty years, but they have held definite action on the matter over until today.

BURGLAR TURNS ON GAS.

Takes Jewelry from Scholl Residence, and Leaves House Full of Deadly Fumes.

A burglar with new shoes and possibly murderous intent entered the home of Mrs. and Mrs. William H. Scholl, No. 1124 Maple avenue, on Sunday evening between 7:30 o'clock and 8, while they were out.

On their return they found the house reeking with gas, for the burglar had evidently turned it on, and so they did not dare light a match for fear of an explosion until they had thoroughly aired the rooms. When they did light up they discovered the loss of two gold watches, a diamond ring and several others, one pearl earring, a jeweled bracelet and a set of jewelry; also \$20. Though he ransacked the dining-room, he took none of the silver.

The burglar evidently made his way through a bedroom window, and tracked much mud in so doing. From the numerous tracks left on the ground about the window, it is evident that he wore No. 8 shoes, and new ones at that. Neighbors say they saw a man leave the house by way of the alley, and shortly after heard several shrill whistles, but that was all.

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DECRIES BOND ISSUE.

OUTFALL SEWER COMPLICATIONS.

The Board of Public Works advised the Council yesterday against holding a special bond election to replenish the depleted outfall sewer fund. The council agreed that there was a probable shortage of \$321,000, but advised that he money be raised by a tax levy on the bonds. This will be the limit of bonded indebtedness that the city may carry under the State law but the board thinks the funds for finishing the outfall should be taken from the current revenue fund.

The communication went to the Finance committee to be considered in executive session.

WORE HAT FOR COMPROMISE.

MORE SUBWAY DELAYS.

Attorney George Henshaw to the County Board of Supervisors in behalf of the Board of Education to withhold the publication of the Fourth-street subway ordinance until a compromise has been reached between the Board of Education and the Southern California interests over the permit for a tunnel under the Olive-street school property. The board of supervisors thinks that the Los Angeles-Pacific Railway should pay substantial damages for interfering with the school property. The officials say that the damages will be but nominal and that to ask more to pay more is in the nature of blackmail. The board of the Board of Education.

City Hall Chips.

City Attorney Hewitt returned to the

A resolution went to the Council from the Voters' League yesterday asking the legislators to request the Police Commission not to allow the installation of the police signal boxes of an inadequate system now in use, but to take at once the necessary steps to provide the city with signal boxes of

The Council instructed the City Attorney yesterday to prepare an ordinance granting to the Salt Lake Railroad a spur track franchise across 1st street.

Councilman Wren's amended rules of order were adopted yesterday by the council. They forbid lobbyists to ply their influence on the floor of the Council.

ice from two successive committee meetings without a permit shall be deemed sufficient cause to remove a councilman from a committee.

Councilman Wren presented an ordinance yesterday providing for one surgeon-in-chief and three assistants at the Receiving Hospital. A divided vote

for the first time this year the Council committee of the whole met yesterday in open session. The only subject discussed was the new Council rules. Councilman Healy made an effort yesterday to recall the resolution protesting to the Legislature against increasing the wages of laborers to the

winners of the Dreamland skating rink made an ineffectual effort yesterday to defeat the project to open an alley from Eleventh to Twelfth streets between Los Angeles and Main streets. The alley will pass directly through the rink building.

UNION METHODS COURT SCORES.

FORMER EMPLOYEE.

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**Wife Proprietor Wins in Suit
Brought Against Him by His Erst-
while Musical Director, Andrist.
Witnesses Show How Totemites**

Submission to labor-union dictation condemned by Judge Monroe yesterday afternoon in giving judgment the defendant in the case of G. F. Rist against Al Levy. Both parties to the suit were scored in the de-

Andrist was suing for \$7286, the amount declared to be due on an alleged broken contract. The agreement was entered into between Mr. [redacted] and Andrist, as director of an orchestra, for one year at a rate of [redacted] a week, for an orchestra of nine [redacted]

...tation, was the rate imposed by
system bosses. Those bosses con-
ceded to set a higher rate for Levy's
... and gave their orders to Andrist,
told Levy that he must charge
\$200 a week. The café proprietor
consented to pay the rate prescribed
by the union, and did pay his leader
each month that the latter was in

"Mr. Andrist was not his own lawyer, it seems, and could not make a contract without consulting some one else. On being ordered not to sign by the contract he had signed, he went to Mr. Levy, and it appears to me, also, thought that he had to accept the dictation of a superior since

ed that the old contract was re-
Andrist and Mr. Levy employed
week without his orchestra at \$200
F. Andrist, a erstwhile orchestra
er at Levy's Café, who lost his
ion through incompetency and
mission to the dictation of the Mu-

from witnesses and judge all day morning and afternoon. The priest had carefully figured out the rate for an orchestra of nine before entering into a contract with Mr. Levy. When the walking rates of the union heard that the pact called for only \$184 a week, there was discord among them. An

te headquarters, and it was de-
that, while the stipulated sti-
was regular union pay for nine
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upon, and Andrist was ordered
mand a new contract of his em-

Levy would bow to the will of union bosses, and he simply told the proprietor that he was going to change the figures on the contract. The proprietor said that Levy told him that it would be all right. Mr. Levy declared

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Assembly Passes Transue's Bill to Create Two New Justice Courts, the Purpose Being to Provide Places for Machine Politicians Who Were Defeated at the Polls.

A special dispatch to The Times from Sacramento announces that Assemblyman Transue's bill establishing two new township justice courts in Los Angeles, passed the Assembly today.

Unless some obstacle is met in the Senate, the two new courts will be formally ground out within the next few days by the machine.

As there would not be fees enough to make good picking for all four, the existing fee system will be changed to the salary plan.

The original plan of the machine was to appoint George Beebe to the other judgeship. Word is now that Beebe is to be switched to the office of agent here of the Attorney-General, at a salary of \$100 a month.

A fight will be made in Los Angeles to prevent the Board of Supervisors from making these appointments.

Room for Copyists.

A decision was made by the Board of Supervisors, yesterday, to fit up for the use of copyists in Recorder Logan's department a portion of the main floor of the old County Jail building.

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PEOPLES. The Vernon stock company is filling the bill at the People's Theater this week, giving a military play called "Lynwood." Miss Leota Howard is leading woman of this company. The aggregation seems to have scored a hit with the audiences of this little playhouse, and will probably remain during the rest of the month.

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Afternoon dress made of novelty plaid silk in blue, green and white, with tiny pin check undershot. Waist is made with fine cluster tucks to form yoke, there is a wide plait over the shoulders, velvet ribbon, drawn through fancy beading, trims neck and short sleeves, skirt is gored, and finished with a bias hem about bottom, with four rows of velvet.

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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 1907.

EVENTS IN LOCAL SOCIETY.

MISS LENA RENFRO AND R. P. QUINN.
These wedding is to be celebrated on St. Valentine's Day.

Given for her niece, Miss Florence De Long of San Francisco, who is her house guest. Among those who contributed to the musical programme were: Mrs. Caroline Von Bunsen, Mrs. Porter, Mrs. Doolittle, Miss Louise Nixon Hill, Miss Ethel Mullins and Miss Mary Mullins. Miss Ethel Mullins is possessed of a splendid soprano voice, and though she does not sing often in public, her voice is much admired by her friends, for its range and sweet quality.

Monday Musical Entertainment.
Miss Geraldine Thompson entertained members of the Monday Musical Club delightfully yesterday afternoon at her home, No. 1115 West Twenty-first street. The home was prettily decorated, and after an interesting programme, dainty refreshments were served.

The programme rendered included: Piano solos, Etude and "A Maiden's Wish," by Miss Harriet Johnson; two German songs by Brahms, Mrs. Katherine Kimball Forrester; violin solos, air for G string (Bach), "Serenade" (Pierce), Miss Jessie Chapin; soprano solo, "Victory" (Niedlinger); Miss Geraldine Thompson, with violin obligato by Miss Mary Mullins; "Ich Rolle Nichte" (Schumann-song) by Mrs. L. P. Doolittle; Brahms's Rhapsodie for piano, by Mrs. L. F. Rotsford; and Miss Tappe sang "He Loves Me" and "Carrietta."

Quite the most interesting part of the programme was the trio from "Elljak" (Henderson), "Life, Thine Eyes," sung by Mrs. Jennie Kempton, also, Miss Helen Tappe, first soprano, and Miss Geraldine Thompson, second soprano.

The next meeting of the Monday Musical Club will be held at the home of Mrs. J. Bond Francisco on Albany street, and will be a soiree musicale in compliment to her guest, Mrs. Laughlin of New Mexico, who is here for a few weeks.

Ninety-second Birthday.
Mrs. F. A. Burrows of No. 941 West Sixth street, entertained on Saturday evening in honor of her grandmother, Mrs. Jessie Stephen, who celebrated her ninety-second birthday. The sprightly little Scotch lady was gay as the gayest of that merry company, and her great-grandson, Master Harold was a close rival for honors. Thirty letters and messages of congratulations were received from various sections of the country. Delicious refreshments were served, and violet bouquets were placed at each cover.

The guests included Mr. and Mrs. M. McKoon, Misses Bailey, S. Thornton, D. Barger, R. P. MacKoon, Dean of Wichita, Kan.; Miss Belle Stevens, and Miss J. M. McKoon of Omaha, Neb.

Mrs. Orcutt's Luncheon.
Mrs. W. W. Orcutt of No. 1228 West Fifth street was hostess at a charmingly appointed luncheon given a few days ago. The table was decorated with violet and ferns, and the color scheme was carried out charmingly in the menu.

Invited guests at the affair included Misses Lyman Stewart, Arnold, of Belfast, Ireland; Milton Stewart of Tusville; Jones, of Indianapolis; Raehing, Logan, J. K. Gries, Harding, W. L. Stewart, Miss Wilson and Miss Stewart.

McCarthy's Dinner.
Mr. and Mrs. E. Avery McCarthy entertained last evening with a dinner at Hotel Van Nuys, followed by a box party at the Mason, guests being Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carlton Lee and Miss Louise Otis and Harry Van Dyke.

Mrs. Rodman's Tea.
Thoroughly charming in appointment was the informal tea given yesterday afternoon by Mrs. Willoughby Rodman of No. 2821 Orchard avenue as a compliment to the following prominent visitors here: Mrs. Elwell S. Otis and Miss Louise Otis of Rochester, N. Y.; Mrs. J. M. Culp of Washington, D. C.; and Mrs. Shaw and the Misses Shaw of San Diego.

Receiving with the hostess were: Misses Cliff Page, Albert Crutcher, C. C. Parker, Wells Smith, Weston of Tusville; Jones, of Indianapolis; Raehing, Logan, J. K. Gries, Harding, W. L. Stewart, Miss Wilson and Miss Stewart.

Among those present were Frederick B. Foote, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Vogler, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Slater, Mrs. M. R. Monce, Miss Monce, Miss Mary Monce, Miss Julia Law, Charles T. Law, Mrs. E. C. Jones, Miss Louise Jones and Alfred Law.

Miss Wade's Wedding.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Wade of No. 311 Lake street have issued invitations for the wedding of their daughter, Miss Annie Louise Wade to Wiley Vance Ambrose, to take place on Thursday evening, February 21 at 8 o'clock.

For Miss Eugene.
In honor of Miss Caroline Eugene of Georgia, who is visiting Miss Mary Belle Elliott, Mrs. William Richards entertained with a theater party at the Delacorte, followed by a luncheon at Christopher's on Saturday.

Besides Miss Eugene and Mrs. Richards, those who enjoyed the affair were: Miss Mary Belle Elliott, Edith Kirkpatrick, Mary Mullins and Miss Cline of San Francisco.

Progressive Dinner.
The Pi Delta entertained their lady friends royally with a progressive dinner. The start was made at the home of Arleigh Brown at 6:30 o'clock, where the first courses were served. The party then boarded a trolley which was waiting in readiness and went on to Park Galloway's for the next course. A trip down through town was the next in order before they returned to Revel Miller's. The final course was served at Lee Muncy's home, where after-dinner speeches entertained the

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A 3c line to choose from Tuesday—Values to 10c. Look around and see what you need. Come Tuesday, and share in these savings.

- 3c for wire coat forms—worth 5c.
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- 3c for hand or vegetable brush, value 5c.
- 3c for pancake turners—regularly 5c.
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- 3c for good steel paring knife, worth 10c.
- 3c for a dozen brass picture hooks, 5c.
- 3c for asbestos mats or toasters, worth 5c.
- 3c for Fairbank's Fairy Soap—always 5c.
- 3c for a roll of good tissue toilet paper.
- 3c for household screw driver, valued at 5c.
- 3c for fancy shirt paper, all colors, worth 4c.
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- 3c for "Bure Catch" mouse traps, regularly 5c.
- 3c for pin pans, full size, that sell for 5c.
- 3c for doughnut or biscuit cutters, value 5c.
- 3c for Japanese bread boats, worth 10c.

\$1.50 Ladies' House Slippers at 98c a Pair
They are made of soft kid, with medium and low heels, and come with and without straps. Good \$1.50 values for Tuesday at 98c a pair.

\$3.00 Men's Oxfords \$1.89
Over 200 pairs of men's oxfords, of vict. gun metal and Russian calf; some Blucher cuts; in both swing and straight lasts. Special for Tuesday, \$1.89 a pair.

\$5.00 Skirts for \$2.98 Each
Walking skirts in gray plaids, checks and dark fancy suitings. Box plaited and fitted styles. Free glove trimmings with straps of the same material. \$5.00 values, sold Tuesday at \$2.98.

\$10.00 Skirts \$4.75
Walking skirts of Panama and chevrons, in navy, black, plaids and mixtures. Box plaited and fitted styles. Valued to \$10.00. On sale Tuesday at \$4.75 each.

\$25.00 Suits at \$15
A fine collection of women's tailored suits, made of chevrons and cloths in fancy mixtures, plaids and plain colors. Pony jackets, box, fitted and Prince Chap coats, well trimmed in silk, braids and velvets. Various good styles of skirts. The values are to \$25.00, for Tuesday priced at \$15.00.

New Line of \$10.00 Black Coats at \$5.98
Seven-eighths length black coats, made of a good grade, light-weight serge. Full sleeves with two-button cuffs. A full velvet collar. Size 32 to 42. Tuesday's special price \$5.98 each.

\$3.98 Infants' Long Coats at \$2.98
Infants' long white coats, in Bedford cord and cashmere; trimmed with embroidery and silk braids; \$2.50 grade, for Tuesday, at \$2.98.

Collars Worth to 25c, at 8c Each
An odd lot, sample collars, in all the latest styles. Dainty trimming effects, and thoroughly washable. A large range of styles. The values are to 25c. For Tuesday, underpriced at 8c each.

35c Scarfs and Squares 19c
Pretty new scarfs and squares, in new patterns; have plain borders or dainty, scalloped borders. Regular 35c kind, Tuesday, for 19c.

Men's Furnishings

A NECKWEAR CLEAN-UP AT A QUARTER

The Men's Corner offers a clean-up of neckwear; all the grades of wide four-in-hands, ascots and puffs, pure silk, all of them. The values are from 50c to \$1.00. Your choice, Tuesday, at 25c.

\$1.25 and \$1.50 FLANNELLETTE PAJAMAS 50c
Men's fancy heavy weight flannellette pajamas, in all sizes. Good \$1.25 and \$1.50 grades, Tuesday, for 50c a suit.

20c a Yard Curtain Swiss 12c
Fancy colored curtain Swiss, 36 and 48 in. wide; beautiful floral patterns, pink, blue, red and green in white grounds. Makes beautiful bed sets and window curtains to match. Regular 20c quality, sold Tuesday at 12c a yard.

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TEXAS LAW AT SACRAMENTO.

Bakersfield Board of Trade Urges Its Passage.

Harriman Should Erect Shops to Get Needed Cars.

Little Apparent Hope Legislature Will Do Anything.

BY ARTHUR R. HINTON.

The question of getting cars to move the products of the oil fields, as well as all other commodities in the state, was taken up by the Bakersfield Board of Trade last year. A movement was started to bring about the enactment of the Texas car law, and one of the great political parties specifically declared for this in its platform.

After the election further steps were taken to bring about action by the Legislature. Senator Miller of Visalia, a Democrat, who represents the district which includes Kern county, in the upper house; is pledged both personally and by his party platform to favorable action and he has introduced the bill, however, seemingly without the slightest hope. Certainly it is likely to be a thoroughly hopeless task unless those interested do something to back up his efforts. Assemblyman McMullin of Bakersfield, who is a nominal Republican, conferred with the Board of Trade and pledged himself to do all in his power. He is now chairman of the committee on the oil industry, and may have the opportunity to show whether or not he is sincere.

The committee in charge of the subject, consisting of H. A. Blodgett, chairman; H. A. Sastro, A. Weill, G. J. Piana, W. R. Hobbs, W. J. Dougherty and A. Pascock, has sent out a circular letter to the various chambers of commerce, Board of Trade and other commercial bodies through the state, enclosing copy of the resolutions passed at Bakersfield, and urging each organization to take the matter up with the representatives from its district and force them to go squarely on record as to their position in the matter.

When a fruit grower finds his crop ruined and lost through the inefficiency of the railroads, it is little enough encouragement to him to see himself raising another crop, but he has at least the very poor consolation of knowing that the railroad has profited nothing thereby, and by loss of the damage involved, is to a slight extent a loser with himself. The oil men have not even this thought in their minds. On the contrary, they know that their loss is so much direct gain to the railroad. Continued year after year this means nothing more or less than confiscation of their property for the railroad's benefit. Of the great property that oil has brought to California the least part has fallen to the great body of producers.

CAUSES OF SHORTAGE.

The railroad officials say positively that they absolutely have not the cars, that they do not exist and they can not be built in a day. And when they say this they are every reason to believe that they speak in perfect good faith and tell nothing but the literal truth. There are no cars to be had, as investigation has fully shown.

The extreme shortage of the last few months is traceable to the enormous rush of business consequent upon the San Francisco disaster. If it had been with that none could justify complaint, but it has been the case, especially with the Southern Pacific, in the northern fields, ever since the first discovery of oil. Until the recent rush the Santa Fe was fairly well supplied with cars to handle the traffic in the northern fields, but the difference in favor of the Santa Fe has not been so marked in the opinion of some of the shippers. When the rush of business came the number of engines was multiplied and the consumption of fuel so increased as to swamp the carrying capacity of both roads. Now the Santa Fe is worse off by far than the Espee; it has simply gone out of business as oil carrier.

Ask a railroad official why cars have not been obtained during five years, and he will probably reply that the car shortage of the country are so raked with work that they can not supply them fast enough to keep up with the demand. True enough again, but some persons of an inquiring turn are asking why does Mr. Harriman persist in trusting to these overworked shops to fulfill demands that are so vital. He has money, millions of it, enough to buy the Illinois Central and to put through Wall Street deals at will. Shops to build needed cars could be erected with a fraction of what he is spending.

THE TEXAS CAR LAW.

Regarding details of this bill there may be some differences of opinion and in the resolutions urging its passage it is expressly pointed out that the same should be with such modifications as may be necessary owing to peculiar local conditions. The general principle is what is sought to enact. The manager of a large packing house at Fresno stated that the Espee demurrage would be a very serious blow at his company. Sometimes as many as eighty cars would be handled at once and to unload them within forty-eight hours would simply be impossible. At present the demurrage charge is \$1 a day per car.

Last session a similar bill was introduced, which applied only to the oil industry. This was made the occasion for severe attacks upon the ground of favoritism and discrimination. The bill now proposed is free from this defect.

The following are the salient features of the Texas car law:

Article 4497—When the owner, manager or shipper of any freight of any kind shall make application in writing to any superintendent, agent or other person in charge of transportation, to any railway company, receiver or trustee operating a line of railway at the point where the cars are desired upon which to ship any freight, it shall be the duty of such railway company, receiver, or trustee, or other person in charge thereof, to supply the number of cars so required at the point indicated in the application within a reasonable time thereafter, not to exceed six days from the receipt of such application, and shall supply such cars to the persons applying therefor in the order in which such applications are made, without giving preference to any person; provided, if the application be for ten cars or less, the same shall be furnished in three days; and, provided, further, that if the application be for fifty cars or more, the railway company may have ten full days in which to supply the cars.

Art. 4498—Said application for cars shall state the number of cars desired, the place at which they are desired, and the time they are desired; provided, that the place designated shall be at some station or switch on the railroad.

Art. 4499—When cars are applied for

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under the provisions of this chapter, if they are not furnished, the railway company so failing to furnish them shall forfeit to the parties so applying for them the sum of \$25 per day for each car failed to be furnished, to be recovered in any court of competent jurisdiction and all actual damages that such applicant may sustain.

Art. 4500—Such applicant shall, at the time of applying for such car or cars, deposit with the agent of such company one-fourth of the amount of the freight charge for the use of such cars, unless the said road shall agree to deliver said cars without such deposit. And such applicant shall, within forty-eight hours after such car or cars have been delivered and placed as hereinbefore provided, fully load the same, and upon failure to do so, he shall forfeit and pay to the company the sum of \$25 for each car not so loaded, that where applications are made on several days, all of which are filed upon the same day, the applicant shall have forty-eight hours to load the car furnished on the first application, and the next forty-eight hours to load the car or cars furnished on the next application, and so on; and the penalty prescribed shall not accrue as to any car or lot of cars applied for on any one day, until the period within which they may be loaded has expired. And if the said applicant shall not use such cars as ordered by him, and shall not notify the said company or its agent, he shall forfeit and pay to the said railroad company in addition to the penalty herein prescribed, the actual damages that such company may sustain by the said failure of the applicant to use said cars.

Art. 4501—When cars have been supplied and loaded, it shall be the duty of the railway company to deliver the same to the party or parties to whom they are consigned within a reasonable time, and the party or parties to whom the cars are consigned shall unload the same within forty-eight hours after delivery, and notice, or forfeit to the railway company the sum of \$25 per day for each car so left unloaded to be recovered in any court of competent jurisdiction.

Art. 4502—It shall be necessary for the party or parties bringing suit against any railroad company under the provisions of this law, to show evidence that he or they had on hand at the time any demand for cars was made the amount of lumber, cotton, wool, hides, or other freight necessary to load the cars so ordered; provided, that the provisions of this law shall not apply in cases of strikes or other public calamity.

Private advices received at Bakersfield from Sacramento are very pessimistic about the chances of the bill to pass. The interests opposed to it have, it is believed, barred it from even coming up by caucus action. Now half the statutory time of the session has passed.

JAPANESE EXPERT HERE.

IS STUDYING OUR METHODS.

Teisuke Watanabe, manager of the Nippon Oil Company, the largest operator in Japan, is in California after having made a complete tour of the American petroleum districts for the purpose of studying the methods employed. He has just paid a visit to the wells around Los Angeles.

Mr. Watanabe says that his company operates in the province of Niigata in the northwest part of Japan on the Japan Sea. It has 500 wells and a refinery of 2000 barrels daily capacity.

There are in all five fields in Japan the largest about four miles long and one mile wide, and they lie along the foothills much the same as in California. All the operating is in the hills and the strata are on edge as here with surface indications in the form of seeps. The total production of Japan is about 500 barrels daily which is not nearly enough to supply the home market, hence the purchase of 20,000,000 barrels in California by a company that is to build a large refinery in Yokohama.

The wells average from 1000 to 1500 feet with sands forty to seventy feet in thickness. The base is usually asphalt but some quantities of paraffin are also found. The cost is between \$2000 and \$3000 a well, the methods being substantially the same as here except as to the casing. It is necessary to carry casing down with the tools and under-ream most of the way. Native drillers are employed, the most expert getting \$1 a day, so that it is not likely that enough Americans will be attracted thereto to seriously affect the supply in California.

Practically all the Japanese oil is refined. Mr. Watanabe's company manufactures illuminating oil, gasoline and lubricants. The latter are sold to the navy.

Most of the land is leased and aside from a small royalty—about 10 per cent.—the operators pay the government a tax or rental for the land below the surface. Under the Japanese law a farmer buying land gets title to only three feet below surface, below which point the government reserves all rights and miners and oil operators must pay 10 cents a year for each unit of six cubic feet.

Mr. Watanabe is but one of a number of Japanese oil experts who have visited this country to visit American methods during the last few years. A number of Americans have also been to Japan to instruct the natives.

In regard to the relations between the United States and Japan Mr. Watanabe says his countrymen greatly admire the American people and English is one of the required studies in all Japanese schools, no pupil being graduated without learning it. He is a great admirer of President Roosevelt and says that if the American people will follow his advice there will never be any war.

King Edward and President Fallieres exchanged formal visits at Paris Sunday. King Edward went to the palace of the Elysee this morning, and was received with the usual ceremonies. The King remained nearly an hour. Later the President returned the King's visit, calling upon him at the British Embassy.

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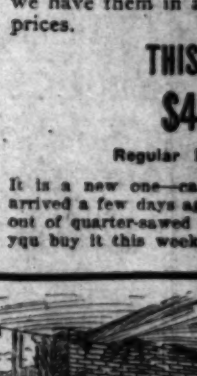
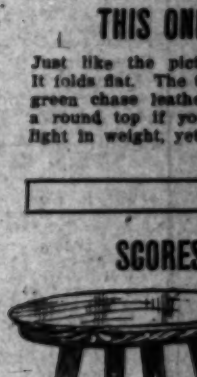
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Assets	Liabilities
Loans upon Real Estate, first lien.....\$24,631,122.50	Amount required to pay all outstanding policies.....\$24,631,122.50
Bonds, at cost.....25,376,642.06	Net, Company's surplus higher than that reported by any other State.....\$25,376,642.06
Stocks, at cost.....979,071.55	Liability on account of policies not surrendered.....\$1,397,415.00
Loans upon Stocks and Bonds.....1,330,000.00	Policy Claims in process.....\$15,507.40
Loans upon Policies of the Company.....1,397,415.00	Adjustment Premiums paid in advance.....\$1,916,238.00
Premium notes on Policies in force.....415,507.40	Dividends credited and with the Company's share.....\$7,217,045.70
Home Office property.....1,916,238.00	Cash in Banks.....\$1,330,253.52
Other Real Estate.....7,217,045.70	State of N. Y. Comptroller's Certificate.....\$12,335.20
Cash in Banks.....\$1,330,253.52	Interest due and accrued.....\$42,803.64
State of N. Y. Comptroller's Certificate.....\$12,335.20	Rents due and accrued.....\$14,743.65
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SOME SAVING SUGGESTIONS FOR THE LIBRARY AND LIVING ROOM

THESE TWO ROOMS ARE THE HEART OF THE HOME AND SHOULD RECEIVE MORE THAN ORDINARY CARE IN FURNISHING.
WE HAVE SEVERAL FLOORS OF GOOD SUGGESTIONS AND GIVE A FEW OF THEM TODAY. NOTE THE SPECIAL PRICES:



CRAFTSMAN ROCKERS, CHAIRS AND MORRIS CHAIRS



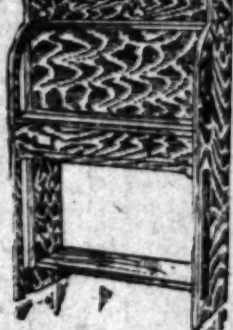
On the fifth floor, Main street side, you will find a thoroughly satisfactory stock of Craftsman Rockers, Chairs, Morris Chairs and Settees. You will find them fairly priced.

THE MORRIS CHAIR \$20.00

A solid oak frame, weathered finish. The cushions are covered with fine leather and are laced. The chair is worth \$22.50 regularly.

THE LEATHER SEAT ROCKER \$14.50

It is a pure Craftsman design. The wood is quarter-sawn oak and you have your choice of weathered or fumed finish. Regular price \$18.00. Chair to match reduced from \$16.50 to \$12.00.



LADIES' WRITING DESKS BY THE SCORE

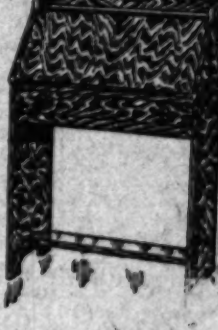
On the first floor, Main street side, you will find the best collection of desks in Los Angeles. You will find them in all woods and marked at right prices.

THE DESK ON THE RIGHT \$12.50

It is worth \$15 and sells regularly at that price. It is made of solid oak and the finish is weathered.

THE DESK ON THE LEFT \$20.00

It sells regularly at \$25.00. The design is unique. The wood is quarter sawed oak and the finish is weathered. This is a desk that you will get thorough satisfaction out of.



ALL KINDS OF CARD TABLES

Our stock of card tables is an excellent one and includes the very latest novelties in serviceable tops and folding devices. We will let the prices do their own talking. They need no defence from us. Prices range up to \$65.00.

THIS ONE \$5.50

Just like the picture on the right. It folds flat. The top is covered with green chase leather. You can have a round top if you prefer it. It is light in weight, yet it stands firm.



IMPERIAL SECTIONAL BOOKCASES

Imperial sectional bookcases have all the good features of the old forms of sectional bookcases, with many improvements in construction and finish, and a careful development of all the "little things" that go to make perfection.

In form they do not materially differ from the established designs with which the public is familiar. It has remained for the Imperial factory to profit by the lessons taught by the experience of others to make improvements here and there, to strengthen where a little added strength would add to the durability, to change the construction at vital points to meet requirements, to crown it all with a most magnificent finish that puts the Imperial bookcase in a class by itself on account of its beauty, richness, and value. We carry a full line.

NEW LOT OF LIBRARY TABLES



Perhaps you, like many others, have been waiting for this carload of library tables to arrive. We are glad to say that they have come. Some special prices are in effect for this week.

THIS ONE \$16.00

Regular price \$18.50. It is made of solid oak throughout. Legs are fluted and lathe turned. The top is 48 inches long and 30 wide. There is a big roomy drawer on one side.

IF IT COMES FROM BARKER'S IT'S A BARGAIN---THAT'S SURE

SCORES OF CENTER TABLES



Scores of designs to select from in maple, birch, golden oak and mahogany. Round tops, square tops and pattern tops and all sizes. Don't think of buying a table without coming here.

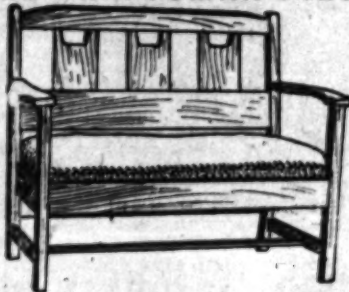
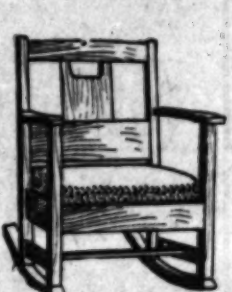
THIS ONE \$3.50

Regular price \$4.50---just a dollar saved. It is made in selected birch and finished in imitation mahogany. The design is well shown in the picture on the left. This is a bargain.

ALL SORTS OF TABOURETTES

The first price is 30 cents and the price list is well graded up to \$10.25. As to finishes, weathered oak perhaps takes the lead. We guarantee our regular prices to be 20 per cent. below competitors.

THESE THREE CRAFTSMAN PIECES \$73.50



\$85.00 would be a bargain price for the suite. The wood used is quarter sawed oak, and even to the layman the perfect cabinet work is apparent. We have it in the real weathered oak finish: the kind that does not kill the grain---and a rich brown fumed oak. The cushions are leather covered and laced.

SPLENDID MAGAZINE RACKS

We can certainly give you a bargain in this most useful article, for our stock includes the best that can be bought at prices that competition cannot touch. Most of them are in either the weathered oak or fumed oak finish.

THIS ONE \$9.00

REGULAR PRICE \$10.50.

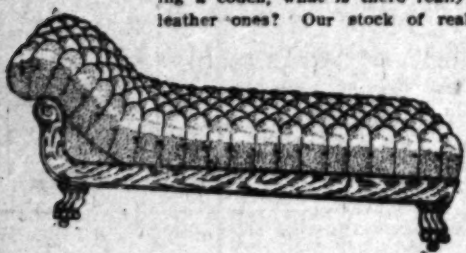
It is made entirely of solid oak; every piece selected for its beautiful grain. The finish is the real weathered oak---not a black stain, which kills the grain and robs the wood of its beauty. There is but one real weathered oak finish and hundreds of attempts.



WE RECOGNIZE NO SECOND GRADE IN ANY LINE---WE HANDLE ONLY THE BEST

SOME SPECIAL VALUES IN LEATHER COUCHES

What is home without its comfortable couch? And when it comes to selecting a couch, what is there really to consider in competition to the real leather ones? Our stock of real leather couches is complete and we have some in leatherette and Pantalone.



THIS ONE \$40.00

Just like the picture on the left. The frame is quarter-sawn oak, golden finish. There is a mass of supporting springs and the upholstery work is well done. \$50 would not be too much for it.

DRAPERIES ARE NEEDED

It takes good draperies, well handled, to completely furnish the library or living room. Nothing tends so much to give "that comfortable, cozy look" as well selected and artistically placed draperies.

We have the drapery stock to meet every demand, and have the artists to execute the work. We make no charge for suggestions.

BIG STOCK OF FINE ORIENTAL RUGS

We have a reputation all over the West as Oriental Rug dealers. This department is under the supervision of an expert---a man who knows Oriental Rugs and upon whom you can depend. We permit of no deception in names nor values. Every rug is exactly as represented to you and every price a fair one.

On the floors of the best homes in the West you will find our Oriental Rugs, and in these homes you are sure to find a satisfied customer.



SUPERIOR VALUES IN ARM ROCKERS

We control the best lines from the best factories in the country. We buy at prices that the small dealer cannot touch. You have every reason for coming to us for rockers. Of course we have them in all grades and at all prices.

THIS ONE \$4.00

Regular Price \$6.50

It is a new one---came in a carload that arrived a few days ago. It is made throughout of quarter-sawn oak, golden finish. If you buy it this week you save \$2.



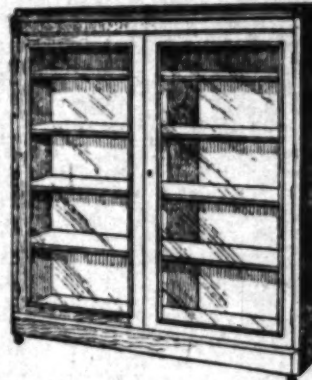
CARPETS

FOR THE LIBRARY AND LIVING ROOM

It is an undisputed fact that we do the largest carpet business in California. The natural query is, "How do you do it?" Briefly the answer is, "High quality and low prices." We have always handled the best of everything. This statement carries more force when you consider that there are five grades of Body Brussels---we sell the best; six grades of Axminsters---we sell the best; eight grades of Tapestry; five grades of Wiltons---we sell the best.

Before we accept a line of carpets or rugs we satisfy ourselves that they will hold their color and wear to the perfect satisfaction of the customer. We see to it, also, that the best work is done when it comes to sewing, fitting and laying.

BOOKCASES IN EVERY WOOD



Every home needs a bookcase or two. Every bookcase buyer needs to come here for real bargains. Our stock includes all woods, a varied design assortment. Our prices are notably fair. You will readily see that.

THIS ONE \$20

Just like the picture on the left. The finish is mahogany. There are four shelves, not counting the bottom. The doors work perfectly. A slightly narrower case in the same design and finish sells for \$18.00.

Barker Bros

413-5-7 S MAIN ST 420-2-4 S SPRING ST

THE LARGEST FURNITURE HOUSE IN THE WEST



WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY

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NEWS REPORTS FROM CORRE
FINERANTS ARE

TAXED HIGH.

 ...COURT RULES

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gular Business Men Are Let Off

IN HERNARDINO, Feb. 4.—Judges and Bladsoe this morning handed down an important decision in case of D. M. Barnert, an itinerant hawker, who appealed from the judgment of City Recorder Gifford of Redwood. They fined him \$100 for violation

ordinance imposing a heavy li-
tax upon itinerant merchants.
port appealed on the ground that
ordinance was unconstitutional as
a class legislation. The Superior
upholds the ordinance, and sets
that it applies alike to residents
and non-residents.

and under the itinerant merchants' license the license is fixed at \$100 per quarter. This is especially stated in a police regulation to protect the interests of the town from fraud, and the Superior Court upholds the contention. There is still another suit pending in Redlands on similar grounds.

OWNER'S WILL CONTESTED.

Athena Bottoms, heir-at-law of the deceased, filed a suit in the Superior Court to set aside the will of her mother, filed a suit in the Superior Court to set aside the will of her mother, filed a suit in the Superior Court to set aside the will of her mother.

the case of the probate of the late pioneer. She alleges that the will was executed, and Thomas Holmes, who is sole executor under the terms of the will, is aware of this fact, and took advantage of it to secure the estate. The estate is valued at \$50,000.

RELATIVES WANT TO KNOW.
Clark Allison tonight received word from Dist.-Atty. Nixon of

Mass., asking that a copy of the record in the case of Louis Cohen be immediately sent to him. Cohen was a wealthy merchant whose body was found here recently for a doctor's examination, acting under the advice of an attorney and finding subsequently that he had committed a crime in attaching the corpse. Finally ordered the body released to Karen. It is believed that Cohen

atives of the deceased are preferred for legal proceedings against the bar here who were instrumental in taking the remains.

JUDICIAL GRAND JURY.

Bar Association this afternoon resolutions exonerating Cramer from the charges preferred grand jury. The resolution declared Cramer innocent.

the investigation brought evidence that would justify charges against him for his assault or disbarment, and that the jury, in preferring the charges, crossed the bounds of propriety; that it is neither the province nor the right of the grand jury to disclose any charge or accusation, reflecting upon the character of any citizen except in the way

IS GIVEN
BY MINISTER.

**What Happens After Address by
to Large Congregation in
da Methodist Church—Law-
makes Indignant Reply and
When Pastor Reiterates**

ANDS, Feb. 4.—There was a scene at the First Methodist last evening when the pastor, Love, called City Attorney Leonard a liar. The incident occurred during the course of a sermon called by the Temperance society.

the church to discuss the illegal liquor selling. Mr. was invited to address the and did so. No sooner taken his seat than he was challenged by the controversy followed. Finally the attorney was plainly and unequivocally as the man of the cloth. He

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What Prevents the Enforcement of the Liquor Laws? Among other things, the church people were responsible for the disregard toward the law, as they themselves secure prescriptions had need for liquor. I interpreted this statement at the majority of church in the habit of buying with

the meeting last evening. Leonard said this was not the wish to convey, but the majority of those who or secure it without a pre-

Dr. Love merely replied
to be interviewed. The
served to arouse much bit-
tleness in the church, Dr. Love
followers as well as his

Box 44, Long
know any person who

Hamburgers

SAFEST PLACE TO TRADE

69c FOR CURTAIN STRETCHER WORTH \$1.00



These splendid curtain stretchers are made of the most durable materials and are fitted with nickel pins that will not rust; can be easily adjusted to fit any size curtains; specially priced for Tuesday at...

69c

49c YARD FOR CREPE DE PARIS WORTH \$1.00

These dainty weaves are specially priced for "Memorable" Tuesday only; are very soft clinging materials and are fitted with nickel pins that will not rust; can be easily adjusted to fit any size curtains; specially priced for Tuesday at...

\$1.69 FOR ELECTROLUMENS WORTH \$2.00



The best, most satisfactory lamp for reading; gives a clear, steady light which makes reading a pleasure. There is no strain to the eyes attendant upon reading the finest print.

Lamps complete, ready for use and fitted with 10-inch ring top-down shade, has 8 feet best lamp cord, and either brass or oxidized brass. Specially priced for "Memorable" Tuesday at...

\$1.69

10c YARD BLACK LACES WORTH TO \$1.00

Also bands, gileons and insertions of chintilly, point venise and silk fiber—are in widths to 5 inches; many very pretty patterns, including Vandyke edges and copies of hand made lace.

8 1-3c YARD FOR FANCY FLANNELS

A very nice assortment of pretty flannels in stripes, fancy figures and floral effects; dark, medium and light colors; very soft and fleecy; are guaranteed to be fast colors.

February Trade Sales

This is known in the commercial world as the month of "Trade" sales. The manufacturers are in the same position as the retailer, in that they are trying to determine the particular lines of merchandise that will have the greatest demand. Limited quantities of these goods are made up and to a big, progressive store like Hamburg's these February trade sales afford an opportunity of bringing to their patrons the first and best of the season's new things at prices considerably less than you will have to pay later on, after "Dance Fashion" has stamped them with her approval. Also these trade sales offer special inducements to the woman who wants "something different." Read our ads and keep posted on things new.

Trade Sale of Corsets

Including "Royal Regent" and "Lavida" at Less Than Half



69c FOR "ROYAL REGENT" CORSETS WORTH \$1.00

Are the regular dollar line, but the range of sizes is broken; there are all sizes in the lot, but not all sizes of a kind; best materials, and some have hose supporters attached.

\$1.50 FOR THE "ROYAL REGENT" CORSETS WORTH \$2.00

If your size is in the lot, you can have 50c on your corset; are made of the best, most durable materials, and include the newest models in the high bust; either long or short hip styles; have supporters attached; colors are white or drab.

25c

FOR CORSETS WORTH TO 75c

These are the "wreck" corsets, and are only slightly soiled; also are included some pretty corset girdles in pink and blue; all are made of the best materials.

\$2.50 FOR "LAVIDA" CORSETS WORTH TO \$4.00

There are a broken assortment of these famous corsets, and are included in this big "Trade" sale; come in medium length, and are in white only; whalebone filled; all sizes in the lot.

\$3.50 FOR "LAVIDA" CORSETS WORTH TO \$7.50

Less than half price for one of the finest corsets made; are in styles suitable for all figures; made of fine French coutil or batiste; whalebone filled, and are in white only.

Hamburgers

SAFEST PLACE TO TRADE

\$2.55 FOR WOMEN'S WORTH TO \$3.00

Are new "Surplus" stock of the manufacturer and include the latest fashions. There are lace, button and blazer style, have welted or flexible soles, military or Cuban heels and are in sizes 2 1/2 to 6; specially priced at...

\$2.55

68c FOR FANCY SILKS WORTH TO \$1.00

As pretty assortment of these silks as you can find; are 20 inches wide and come in all the new shades of blue, brown, red, green, gray and black and white grounds with small figures, checks, overalls and figured effects; including Louisiana weaves.

\$2.50

FOR SUIT HATS WORTH \$7.50

Splendid hats with which to round out the season's wear; come in turbans; also large shapes of the best felt with velvet folds and ribbons; some are trimmed with cut ostrich or fancy wings; not a hat in the lot worth less than \$7.50.

\$4.95 FOR NEW SPRING MILLINERY

A very pretty assortment of the new spring hats; are made of hair, bristles in the crown and band; come in black and white, as well as all the new shades; trimmed with fancy feathers and ribbons; are very specially priced for "Memorable" Tuesday at...

\$4.95

Trade Sale

Waists

69c FOR WAISTS WORTH TO \$1.00

This assortment of waists are made of good quality pretty lawn but have become slightly soiled from display; are all very nicely trimmed with lace and embroidery; are either buttoned in back or front styles; have long or short sleeves; specially priced at...

Trade Sale

Bath Robes

\$3.50 WOMEN'S BATH ROBES WORTH \$5.00

Are made of a splendid quality eldorado; also fine firm blanket materials; are cut extra full and long; have wide collars and cuffs; fitted with heavy wool waist cords; come in very pretty designs and are excellent values; specially priced at...



50c

FOR EMBROIDERY FLOUNCES WORTH \$1.00

Just half price for "Memorable" Tuesday; are flouncings of fine, sheer white and linen; are in all the new shades; some are wide and come in all the new designs; are eyelet and prettily embroidered; are in all the new shades; are very specially priced for "Memorable" Tuesday only...

50c

Trade Sale Rugs : Carpets : Linoleum

Phenomenal Values Make It a Big Success

"To see such handsome rugs and carpets was to want them, and the prices are so low," was the remark of a number of customers in our rug department yesterday. The selling was far better than we had anticipated, yet it might well be, for positively no such splendid rugs and carpets have ever been offered in the city at such small prices. Rich in their Oriental colorings and beauty of design, these floor coverings appeal to the most particular and artistic women as well as to those who are inclined to economy. Don't miss today's offerings if you have a rug or carpet need; almost the entire product of three big mills from which to choose.

- \$15.50 For Fine Tapestry Brussels Rugs; including the new tape. Worth \$20.
- \$21.75 For Axminster Rugs, 8x12 ft. in size; extra fine; 2 seams. Worth \$27.50.
- \$27.50 For Genuine Wilton Rugs; beautiful all over and Medallion design; worth \$40.
- \$11.50 For Fine Tapestry Brussels Rugs; are 8 1/4 x 10 1/4 ft. in size; very fine; worth \$16.50.
- \$8.50 For Hall Runners; 4 1/2 x 12 ft. in size; best quality wool and worth \$12.50.
- \$5.95 For Royal Wilton Rugs; are 3 ft. by 5 ft. 3 inches; very durable; worth \$10.
- \$7.95 For Tapestry Brussels Rug; extra heavy—6x9 ft. and without mitered corners, worth \$10.

- \$1.95 For Axminster Rugs; full 27 inches wide, very durable; best colors; worth \$2.50.
- 80c Yard for Tapestry Brussels; made by "Alex. Smith & Son"; borders to match; worth \$1.10.
- 90c Yard for Wool Velvet Carpet, rich, silky pile, best designs; worth \$1.35.
- \$1.00 Yard for "Axminster" Carpet; made by "Alex. Smith & Son"; borders to match; worth \$1.25.
- \$1.25 For Axminster Carpets; close woven and very durable, rich, soft and worth \$1.50.
- \$1.50 Yard for "Wilton" Carpet; very heavy close woven, handsome pattern; worth \$2.00.
- 39c Sq. Yard for Cork Linoleum; best quality; soft and pliable; worth 60c.



Trade Sale Coats: Suits : Skirts

Three very special leaders attractively priced for "Memorable" Tuesday; the styles are all good, the materials splendid, and the prices are a fourth to nearly a half less than regular.

\$7.50 FOR CRAVENETTES WORTH \$10.00

\$12.95 FOR NEW SPRING SUITS WORTH TO \$20.00

Are a very special offering for "Memorable" Tuesday only; are made of fine quality material in the new spring colorings; are in the jaunty pony effects and nicely trimmed with fancy braids and buttons; skirt cut full and flaring, and nicely pleated.

\$3.98 FOR DRESS SKIRTS WORTH TO \$7.50

Are cut and made in the latest fashions; the materials are pretty checks, and a few made of black and white checked material; made very full with pleats and the lot includes some splendid values.



QUARRY OWNERS MUST HUSTLE.

GOVERNMENT WANTS SAMPLES OF LOCAL STONE.

Treasury Officials Ready to Use It for Federal Building Here if Right Color and Quality Can Be Furnished—Senator Flint Writes in The Times to This Effect.

The natural loyalty of Californians to whatever is, or may be, produced in this State, has resulted in the demand that the public buildings to be erected by the government shall be of California stone. The Times recently gave expression to this desire in connection with the erection of the Federal building in this city, and as one of the results, Senator Flint has written The Times that the supervising architect and all the treasury officials are in favor of using California stone. It is to be obtained that will stand the government tests as to quality. A light-colored granite is preferred for the building by the Treasury Department, and in the absence of information as to the availability of such stone in California, the department favored the Wyoming product, but it is waiting for information regarding the quarries of this State. Meantime preparations are going

forward for the erection of the building, and the situation demands the immediate consideration of all owners of mandstone quarries in this State. Samples of the stone that each can furnish should be at once forwarded to the Treasury Department that tests may be made as to strength and durability. Full information should also be given as to the quantity that can be furnished. As has been said, the Treasury Department is ready to use California stone if it is satisfactory, but department officials cannot be expected to go out and hunt it up in order to satisfy the pride of the loyal people of California. The department is, however, adopting a waiting policy that the owners of California quarries may have every opportunity to present their products. There will be no delay in the erection of the local Federal building and quarry owners should lose no time in presenting their samples.

COUNTY FARM PACKING HOUSE. Plans were adopted yesterday by the Board of Supervisors for the new packing-house of the County Farm. Contract for the building will be awarded March 11, and it is to be completed in time to handle the late crop of oranges. It is to be 40x60 feet, with 8-foot and 12-foot platforms on three sides.

MAPS O.K., ACCEPT STREETS. Maps were submitted for approval, and streets and alleys were offered for public use on the Crown Hill tract, Pico Heights Honolulu tract and Valley Center tract, yesterday, and were duly accepted by the Board of Supervisors.

EL NUEVO SALON DRAMATICO.

Pretty Little Spanish Theater Opens With a Playlet and Variety of Vaudeville Acts.

For the first time in its history the "Latin Quarter" has a theater. "El Nuevo Salon Dramatico" opened last night at No. 730 Buena Vista street, with a Spanish company of lyric talent from Hermosillo, Mex. This is the first Spanish theater ever opened in Los Angeles, and the only one in the West—that is, of professionals. Heretofore, "Sonoratown" has relied upon amateur talent for its amusement, but now it will have regular performances by professionals at popular prices—10, 15, 20 and 25 cents. There will be two performances nightly. The building was recently finished, and will accommodate 275 people—perhaps a few more by crowding. All the seats are on the first floor in four divisions, with prices fixed accordingly. On the curtain is painted an allegory of Mexico—the Mexican flag, showing an eagle on a cactus, with a rattlesnake in its beak. It rises upon a scene in Mexico. There is a typical Mexican city in the background, and two lovers in the foreground. Then two more come on. These are two married men flirting with two black-eyed señoritas. While they are drinking red wine and making love, enter the worst of the gallants, and there is a "scene." This lyric sketch, breathing the romance of Mexico, was pleasantly received last night by the audience. The lyric sketch was entitled "La Tempestad," and it was a tempest of love-making and laughter over comic situations. Then followed

WIL CURB THE RIVER.

Ranchers in El Monte district are aroused over the possibility of the San Gabriel River breaking through its banks above the town and finding its way down what is known as New River. They want to undertake reinforcements, as a temporary expedient until a regular storm-water district can be formed. Yesterday the Board of Supervisors agreed to assist in the project to the extent of \$250, if written agreements were filed by the property owners affected, providing for the use of their lands for levees. The ranchers have already put \$500 into levee work, and they now propose to expend fully as large a sum.

INFLUX AT COUNTY HOSPITAL.

For the last week in January the records of the County Hospital show there were seventy-two admissions. Of these all were listed as without funds except two patients, one of whom had 25 cents and the other was the possessor of an income of \$5 per week. Fifteen of these new patients were from outside the county and nine were from outside the State.

GRACE CHURCH.

Continues Under Flag Methodistic for the Present by Union With New-man Methodist Church.

At the last minute the negotiations with the Chicago staff of the Salvation Army and the trustees of Grace Methodist Church on Hewitt street fell through, and the former did not rent it, as contemplated. Overtures were then made to Dana W. Bartlett, superintendent of Bethlehem Institution, to take hold of it in some way, in connection with his other activities, but that did not materialize. Then it was determined to hold possession of it for the time being, and Rev. George E. Foster, pastor of New-man Methodist Church, was elected a member of the board of trustees, thus virtually uniting the two congregations. Until satisfactory arrangements are made, regular services will be continued in Grace Church by Rev. C. J. Miller, who has been its pastor for the past couple of years. The Methodists own the property, which is fast becoming valuable for manufacturing purposes.

INSPECTOR LEATHER.

Here you see the inspector of the leather goods, examining the quality of the leather.

White House Shoes are the best in the world. They are made of the best leather and are of the best quality.

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THE WEATHER.

FORECAST—For Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair; light north winds. For San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy; light showers in the morning; fair in afternoon.

At 5 a. m. Thursday. Maximum temperature, 47 deg. Wind, calm; 3 p. m. southwest; velocity, 10 m. per hour. At midnight the temperature is 48 deg.; clear.

At 4 a. m. the temperature is 48 deg.; clear.

For complete weather report, including comparative temperatures, will be on page 12, part II.

POINTS OF THE NEWS IN TODAY'S ISSUE OF THE TIMES

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